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ABOUT 1-2 MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT HAVE BEEN SHIPPED

Twenty-Five Per Cent More Grain Has Gone Out Of Oklahoma Than Was Shipped Last Year—Local Chamber of Commerce Tries Speeding Up Return of Empties.

Approximately a half million bushels of wheat have been shipped out of Wilbarger county since the opening of the present harvest season last month. Vernon has contributed the largest quota to this amount, but Oklahoma is not far behind.

Shipments from here, according to G. H. Wheeler, local agent of the F. W. & D. C. Ry., have filled 121 cars; while 165 cars have been loaded at Oklahoma. Harrold reports sixty-six cars, and Tolbert twenty-nine cars, with five cars being loaded yesterday.

A considerable amount of Wilbarger wheat goes to Chillicothe, and some to Odell. Figures are not available from either of these places. Shipments from Oklahoma are twenty carloads ahead of last year. It was impossible to get comparative figures from other stations.

Little Delay on Cars Here.

General opinion is that a larger portion of the wheat has been moved, and with remarkably little delay on account of shortage. The agent at Tolbert reports that sixteen to twenty cars will be shipped from his station. Harrold expects to ship out fifteen carloads more.

Price paid for this grain has risen from \$1.10 to \$1.20 a bushel, and is more than was expected earlier in the season.

W. Morrow, manager of the local chamber of commerce, returned yesterday from Austin, and reports that the Texas Chamber of Commerce went before the Railroad Commission with officials of the Fort Worth and Denver R'y. in an effort to speed up return of grain cars, so as to prevent delay to shipments.

Movement Unusually Heavy.

It was found that because of heavy movement and slow unloading of cars at Galveston—many cars standing for ten to twelve days—the shortage in places is acute.

The situation this year has been aggravated by two causes; first, rain and cool weather retarded the development of wheat and harvest in this section came about the same time as on the Plains; second, farmers have been unusually quick to sell this year, carrying their grain to market as soon as threshed. It is estimated that within ten days practically all of the grain will be out of the hands of the farmer. Heretofore the movement has continued until September.

The Denver saw this situation, and had seventy-one cars in its yards at Wichita Falls. Other lines would not accept these because of their condition. However, the Denver repaired the cars so as to hold grain, using them on their own road.

Railroad Commission Helping.

The Railroad Commission of Texas sent a representative to Galveston in an effort to speed up unloading. This effort is being backed up by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, which has directed an inspector to go to Galveston, for the purpose of hurrying return of cars to be used in shipping grain.

It is understood, also, that the Car Service Division of the Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered the Southern Pacific, International & Great Northern, and Trinity & Brazos Valley Railroads to deliver grain cars to the Denver to relieve the car shortage. Mr. Morrow says these cars will have begun reaching the Denver Thursday, and that road should have ample cars within the next few days.

There were two more cars in Vernon Wednesday than could be loaded. These were sent on to another point.

Are Routing Tourists This Way.

"We are routing tourists through your city daily," is the advice received by the local chamber of commerce, from J. W. Charleville, manager of the Dallas Automobile Club, "and therefore want to co-operate with you." The Automobile Club is co-operating with Harry Locke of Los Angeles, Calif., in order to distribute more wisely his maps and charts of roads in this vicinity.

INDIAN CHIEF SEES "GREAT WHITE FATHER."



Chief Buffalo Bear, of the Sioux tribe of South Dakota, with Princess Buffalo Bear, photographed while leaving the White House after calling on the President. The Sioux chief posed for the Indian head on the well-known American nickel. With Princess Buffalo, he is seeing the sights in Washington.

CLOTHING ENTRIES ARE TO BE JUDGED

WINNER IN COUNTY CONTEST WILL GO TO A. AND M. TO COMPETE

The sets of clothing which will be entered by the nineteen Wilbarger County girls who are competing in the contest to be held here tomorrow will be judged by Mrs. O. A. Brunson, Mrs. A. C. Boger, and Mrs. Shirley Cook, who were selected by the Federated Clubs. By the following score card: 1. Suitability of article to purpose, 25 per cent; 2. Beauty and quality of design, 10 per cent; 3. Harmony of color and materials, 15 per cent; 4. Symmetry, accuracy in cutting, 20 per cent; 5. Perfection of stitches, 15 per cent; 6. Neatness of finish, 10 per cent; 7. Laundering possibilities, 5 per cent. This score card was adapted from a bulletin of the Federal Board for Vocational Education.

This winter in the county contest of tomorrow will be awarded a trip to the A. and M. Short Course which will be conducted from July 25 to 30. During the short course a State Home Demonstration Club Clothing Contest will be held. Announcement has just been received from the state home demonstration agent that the following prizes have been arranged as awards in this contest:

For complete school attire: First prize, sewing machine; second prize, blue serge Hoffman suit, pair cantilever overalls and pair stockings; third prize, well equipped sewing basket. For the best dress: First prize, gold brooch; second prize, sewing basket; third prize, pair shears. For best princess slip or corset cover and petticoat: First prize, pair shears; second prize, thimble; third prize, thimble. For best pair teddies, same as above.

RETURNS TO HOME IN MISSOURI

Judge J. C. Sheppard Will Visit in Fort Worth After Spending a Few Days in Vernon.

Judge J. C. Sheppard left today for Fort Worth, where he will visit friends for a few days before returning to his home in Poplar Bluff, Mo. He came Sunday to visit his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sheppard.

Judge Sheppard says the crop outlook in his section is good. Very little cotton is grown, the principal crops being corn, wheat and other cereals.

Sir Knights Meet Tonight.

Sir Knights of Vernon Commandery No. 33 meet in the basement of the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock tonight. "Sir Knights, don't miss this," is the injunction of Recorder W. H. Hugins. "Do not wear uniforms."

LOCAL GUARD UNIT NEARS COMPLETION

WANT ORGANIZATION PERFECTED AND DRILL TO START NEXT WEEK

A number of applications for membership in the local militia unit were received at the meeting of the organization last night. The meeting was held in the district court room.

Strength necessary to be able to participate in the State elimination target practice and camp at Austin from August 14 to 24, is almost assured, according to Captain Clyde Watts. However the captain and his associates are looking for a few more of the county's 100 per cent Americans in order to bring the organization up to required quota.

Boys or men over 18 years of age desiring to join should do so at once in order to receive the benefits of the ten days' camp. It is necessary to send in a complete list of members by July 25 so as to secure reservations.

Persons interested are asked to see Captain Clyde Watts, or Jay V. Russell at 900 North Main street; Elzy Youngblood at T. J. Youngblood's furniture store, Jim Bonar at Pete Baker's barber shop on the west side of the public square.

HAS 40 ACRES SWEET POTATOES

Rayland Man Brings in Sample From Field He Expects to Yield 20,000 Bushels.

Five hundred bushels to an acre is the yield which J. H. Young of Rayland expects from his sweet potato crop. Mr. Young has 40 acres, and his associates have eighty acres in sweet potatoes.

Samples from the field on exhibit at the Waggoner National Bank show tubers from six to eight inches long, and five to seven inches in circumference. The potatoes are of fine texture and smooth.

W. A. Walker went to East Texas and Arkansas, where he bought a car load of seed potatoes. Mr. Young is associated with Mr. Walker. They will build their own curing plant.

22 Weddings in June

Dan Cupid snared twenty-two innocent young couples into his net during June. July promises to break this record, however, the former may be the proverbial month of brides. During the first fifteen days in July thirteen marriage licenses have been issued by Miss Verna Lucky, county clerk.

Fargo Barn Burns.

Fire destroyed a barn belonging to W. M. Phillips of Odell Saturday night. The structure was situated on his farm near Fargo. Some hogs and a quantity of feed were consumed.

SAYS MILK SUPPLY OF VERNON IS VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY

Wichita-Veterinary Thinks Conditions in Wilbarger County More Favorable to Dairying Than Anywhere He Has Ever Seen—Finds People Interested in Tuberculin Test for Cows.

Vernon's milk supply is of the highest quality. This applies as regards healthy and food value, according to Dr. J. R. E. Richardson, veterinarian of Wichita Falls. Mr. Richardson has been testing cows for tuberculosis during the last two weeks in and around Vernon.

Two hundred animals have been treated by the veterinarian and not a single reaction has appeared. This is a high tribute, Dr. Richardson thinks to the health of animals from which Vernon's milk supply comes. It is also evidence of live interest on the part of owners in the health of their animals.

"Conditions here are ideal for dairying, and your cows are producing the highest grade of milk and butter have even seen," Dr. Richardson told a representative of The Record. "If I had my money out of Wichita real estate I would move to Vernon and buy a dairy farm."

With land on which alfalfa never fails, an abundance of pure water, relatively mild weather conditions, and nearness to market, Dr. Richardson figures Wilbarger county should develop into one of the dairy counties in the entire Southwest. "If you had a co-operative association for encouraging the production of dairy products and helping in the marketing of milk, cream, and butter, I predict a thousand cows would be milked around Vernon regularly."

Many Cows Tested.

Cows have been tested for A. F. Hope, J. D. Ferguson, T. O. Wheeler, E. L. Vaughn, J. A. Richardson, C. C. King, Jean Keltz, J. R. Wyatt, J. W. Caldwell, L. A. Ferguson, G. A. Cayce, Andy Paschall, J. B. Smith, John Morris, Boon Martin, T. N. Baker, Mrs. R. T. Wilson, W. J. Martin, W. M. Thompson, W. M. Crutcher, Carl Luttrell, J. C. Fike, Hub Colley, C. H. Dalmaso, Clem Rodgers, J. A. Nabers, J. T. Compton, R. J. Jordan, S. E. Gunn, J. A. Birnbaum, E. L. Smith, F. M. Rowland, I. G. Luttrell, J. A. Gilliland, A. R. Taylor, and W. B. Covert.

Certificates for the following were turned into the city hall this morning: E. P. Robertson, C. L. Rogers, J. D. R. Cooper, W. M. Bristow, A. C. Rayzor, R. B. Richardson, Mrs. Dan Coffee, A. J. Walls, S. E. Swin, L. M. Brumlett, Charles Hawley, W. M. Judd, Joe Garner, Joe Pickett, W. M. Reed, Dr. E. Barnes, O. W. Newell, Frank Baumgarten, L. E. Black, J. C. Smith, E. L. Booth, W. E. Deason, Jesse Johnson, Ben Henderson, J. J. Robinson, and Mrs. J. T. Chapman.

PRETTY JURORS ARE WON BY HE-VAMP LAWYER, SHE SAYS



Can a handsome young lawyer of the species of the male vamps a jury of women? Ask Miss Elizabeth Blume, one of the leading members of the Newark, N. J. bar—she knows. It was a dull uninteresting case she tried in the District Court of Montclair, N. J., involving the paltry sum of \$400 over an alleged breach of contract. But there were eight women on the jury, among them some of the sweetest and loveliest girls in the county. And opposed to Miss Blume was one of the handsomest attorneys in the State of New Jersey—Samuel Boardman, Beau Brummel and a Chesterfield if ever there was one. The result? Why, Miss Blume lost.

CALIFORNIA'S PRETTIEST GIRL



Miss Florence Selby, of San Francisco, who has been selected by the Knights of Columbus as the prettiest girl in the Golden Gate City. She will head a bevy of beauties who will welcome the thousands of Knights of Columbus to the International Convention in San Francisco August 2-3-4. More than 25,000 are expected to attend the convention.

CHILICOTHE MAN THRESHES ALFALFA

H. C. FARRINGTON GETS MORE PROFIT FROM SEED THAN HAY, HE SAYS.

H. C. Farrington of Chillicothe has been threshing alfalfa four years, and says he realizes more profit from the seed than the hay. Mr. Farrington noticed in The Record that agitation is being carried on to get farmers to grow a seed crop, and in a letter to the local chamber of commerce he says:

"I have made four seed crops in the last four years, and have realized more profits on my seed crops than on my hay. I expect to plant more alfalfa, and to reseed my meadow where the stand has been damaged by the last two years of wet weather."

Mr. Farrington says, furthermore that if local farmers want an alfalfa huller he has one of the best made—an A Birdsell No. 3, which he will sell at a much lower figure than the same machine sells for now. The huller is in good condition. Mr. Farrington says and has been well taken care of.

UNIVERSITY RECEIVES LESS

Legislature Votes \$190,000 for New State Normal School at Nacogdoches.

An appropriation of \$1,300,000 for each of two years has been allowed the University of Texas out of the general revenue for maintenance and support, plus the use of its available fund and all fees. The amount is \$75,000 less than the estimate of the Board of Control, but the reduction is more than offset by permission to use fees and the available fund.

Without a dissenting vote, the legislature appropriated \$190,000 for the establishment of a new State Normal School at Nacogdoches, for which the State had previously been given 206 acres of finely wooded land.

Rev. S. W. Hayne to McGregor.

Rev. S. W. Hayne has accepted an invitation to conduct a revival meeting in McGregor, and will leave about July 31. He will be assisted by J. W. Splinder of Tulsa, Okla., who had charge of young people's work and conducted the singing during the recent revival in the local Methodist Church. Rev. J. J. Creed, a brother-in-law of Buford O. Brown, editor of The Record, is pastor at McGregor.

ARE URGED TO MAKE SEWER CONNECTIONS

CITY COMMISSION INSTRUCTS MAYOR TO REQUIRE OPEN PRIVIES ABANDONED.

There are 100 open privies within 200 feet of sewer lines, according to City Secretary S. H. Hall. This number is nearly a third fewer than the count would have revealed sixty days ago, the city secretary thinks.

At its meeting Tuesday night the City Commission instructed Mayor Harry Mason to take steps to see that the open privy within 200 feet of a sewer line be removed. The campaign to rid Vernon of open toilets has been carried on ever since the first sewer lines were put down. During the last three years it has been more intensive, and as a result most of the persons living in those sections where sewer lines have been down for some time have complied with the law.

In a few instances, however, the law requiring those within 200 feet of a sewer to connect with it has been flagrantly abused. One privy was found on West Wilbarger street within a few feet of the sewer. Similar cases may be found in other sections. For the most part, however, violators of the law are in the section where sewer line was laid last spring.

Other business transacted by the Commission included routine affairs.

J. R. MESSICK RETURNS.

Former Wilbarger County Man Will Live On Lester Farm After Spending Year in Tarrant County.

J. R. Messick has moved back from Fort Worth, and will farm next year on the J. W. Lester place, south of Vernon. The place is owned by S. W. McFarly. He traded Mr. Lester a ranch in Gray county for the farm. Mr. Messick formerly lived on Fletcher Sisters' farm about six miles east of Vernon, where he specialized in Leghorn chickens and Holstein cattle. About a year ago he moved to Route 1, Fort Worth.

Drilling on Penn-Burk Resumed.

Drilling has been resumed on the Penn-Burk well two miles west of Vernon. Work was suspended some time ago. The well is about 2,100 feet deep. It will be carried at least 300 feet further down, unless oil is found or some mishap makes progress impossible.

WILL PAVE SOUTH MAIN STREET AT LEAST TO PARADISE

Mayor Is Hopeful Citizens Will Sign Up For Improvement of Thoroughfare As Originally Planned—At Work Now On West Pease And Cumberland Street Paving

South Main street will be paved at least as far as Paradise, thereby connecting all of Vernon's improved thoroughfares. Mayor Harry Mason is hopeful that the work may be extended as far south as originally planned, and which has been uncertain because of the apparent unwillingness of some property owners to sign up.

Reflection is tending to impress property owners that it will be a heavy loss if they fail to pave South Main street, the mayor believes. He reasons, furthermore, that citizens as loyal as most of those in Vernon are willing to make a genuine sacrifice for the welfare of their town—especially when it is of vital concern as regards their own property.

One Fourth Cash.

Only one-fourth of the charge is payable at this time, and the balance in one, two, and three years at 8 per cent interest. On this basis a relatively small sum is necessary to be raised at this time by any one.

Heavy hauling on South Main street during the boom last year in the Sigler field filled the roadway with holes, and it is perhaps rougher than any stretch of country road one can find.

Crews are at work on West Pease and on Cumberland street, where paving will be done between Main and Family on the former and between Texas and East Pease on the latter. Most of the excavating has been done, and some gutter work put in.

A stretch of Cumberland street next to the Bailey Hotel will not be paved.

TAKE MANUAL TRAINING.

Boys of Town Organized Into Class By Gus Ramage—Girls To Get Sewing Instruction.

A manual training class for boys between the ages of 10 and 15 has been organized by Gus Ramage, pastor of the Central Christian Church, and has met every day this week in the Church basement for practical instruction and work. All boys of this age in Vernon, regardless of church membership, are eligible to enter the class, according to Mr. Ramage, to whom they may apply. The first thing each boy made was a costume, and aside from these they have made tables for each of the Sunday School classes this week. Mr. Ramage asks those who want costumes, tables, porch swings or benches to apply for them from the boys in the class.

A sewing class for girls between the age of 12 and 16 will be organized next Tuesday. This class will be in charge of Mrs. Henry Rogers and Miss Sallie Allingham who will give instruction in pattern cutting and dress making. Further information may be obtained from either of the two women in charge, it was announced today.

FORMER VERNON PEOPLE ENJOY BIG SNOW IN JULY

Eighteen inches of snow in July! Sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it? The story is an honest-to-goodness truth, although it is far removed from Vernon.

Robert Bennett writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bennett from Helena, Mont., that they have had a snow a foot and a half "deep" in the mountains just "back of his house," and a slight fall in the valley. Robert is spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. Uriel Reed, in Helena, Mont.

Thermometer Registered 105 Yesterday

The mercury climbed up to 105 degrees yesterday, according to the thermometer in front of Renfro's Hardware store on the south side of the public square. In the shade the highest temperature reported was not quite 100 degrees. Wednesday was the hottest day so far this summer.

Identification Letters for Members.

The chamber of commerce will be glad to give a letter of identification to any member who is planning a trip this summer. Such letter will likely aid in getting acquainted, and might be of value.

MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

Continuous Showing

TODAY—FRIDAY

Special Thomas Meigan
Production"THE FRONTIER
OF STARS"

(His Best Don't Miss It)

Supported by Faire Binney

Also Snub Polard in a fun-
ny comedy—"Blue Sunday"

SATURDAY—COMING

TOM MIX in
"HANDS OFF"ART ACORD—"The White
Horse Man" & Star ComedyThomas Meigan in "The Frontier of Stars"
A Paramount PictureMONDAY—FIRST NAT'L SPECIAL
POLA NIGRI the famous continental star in the Screen's
"Mightiest Epic"
"PASSION"(Beautiful and Powerful, Beyond Compare)
COMING—"MAN, WOMAN AND MARRIAGE."HALL COUNTY MAN
ASKS ABOUT LAND
HERE FOR ALFALFAC. E. Spath Had Planned to Go
to Colorado Until He Read
Statement Concerning Sub-Ir-
rigated Fields in Wilbarger—
May Come for Investigation.Alfalfa growing is reputed to be one
of the most profitable of all farm ven-
tures, aside from the fact that it en-
riches the soil year after year. Along
the various river courses all over the
Middle West "alfalfa is king."The same is true along the Pecos
river in New Mexico, in various parts
of Colorado, and on the Plains of
Northwest Texas. However, irrigation
is necessary practically all over these
areas.So that it is not surprising that when
C. E. Spath of Memphis read in State
papers a reprint of The Record's ar-
ticle about alfalfa growing in Wilbarger
county he became interested. The
article referred to states that 6,000
acres in Wilbarger county were seeded
to alfalfa last year, yielding from four
to six tons to each acre; and that dur-
ing the extremely dry period ending
in 1918 numerous fields in Wilbarger
county seeded to alfalfa, produced
from three to five tons to an acre.

Would Grow Chickens.

It was stated that investigators aver
there are 25,000 acres of sub-irrigated
land in Wilbarger county which will
produce alfalfa abundantly during wet
years, or dry. Attention was also called
to the fact that Wilbarger county alfalfa
has been a consistent prize winner
in State competition, and has com-
manded a premium in price because of
its large percentage of leaf.Mr. Spath writes from Memphis
Texas: "Please give me full particu-
lars regarding this sub-irrigated land,"
he says; "its location, and price at
which it can be bought. I want a small
place of only ten or twenty acres that
will grow alfalfa successfully without
any failures—something not too far
off, suitable for a poultry farm and
hatchery."

Prefers Texas to Colorado.

"I had arrangements made to leave
here for Colorado in search of a suit-
able location for my business, but have
decided if you can 'make good' as per
this clipping, I will run down and in-
vestigate that locality. It will suit me
much better to remain in Texas if I
can find a suitable location."Mr. Spath asks information by re-
turn mail, and requests that real estate
men send me a list of such places, to-
gether with full information. "Please
remember," Mr. Spath repeats, "that
I am anxious for this information by
return mail, and will appreciate very
much your prompt reply, as well as the
list from real estate dealers."

Excursion Rate to St. Louis.

A special round trip summer excu-
sion fare of \$46.20 plus a tax of \$3.70
has been made from Vernon to St.
Louis, Mo., according to word received
at the Fort Worth and Denver station
today. The sales will start today and
last until September 30 and the final
return limit is October 31. Tickets
will be good for stopover at all sta-
tions on both the going and return trip.
This is the first time that a rate has
ever been made from here to St. Louis,
according to G. H. Wheeler, local
agent.

Kodak finishing—

Good work.

Prompt service.

Courteous treatment.
Clifton Studio.Miss Bess Herrick of Waco arrived
Tuesday to visit Miss Frances Hicks.

APPOINT SUPERINTENDENTS.

Local W. C. T. U. Names Women To
Take Charge Of Various Depart-
ments of Work in Vernon.At the meeting of the local chapter
of the W. C. T. U. held at the home
of Mrs. J. H. Watts yesterday after-
noon the following department super-
intendents were named: Medical tem-
perance, Dr. M. O. Parrish; titling,
Mrs. C. S. Smith; evangelism, Mrs. W.
T. Garvin; flower missions, Mrs. Wal-
ter Ferguson; child welfare, Mrs. Har-
per Reed; and the work of placing the
Bible in the public schools will be car-
ried on by the executive board.The meeting was opened with devo-
tional services led by Mrs. W. T. Gar-
vin, and those present answered roll
call with current events or verses of
scripture. A box valued at \$20 was
sent to Barabach Home at Arlington
where the W. C. T. U. of Vernon is
supporting a girl. Ten dollars was re-
ported sent to the Armenian Relief
Fund.It was decided to organize a League
of women voters in Vernon and 8 mem-
bers were obtained at the meeting yes-
terday. District has written that a
school on instruction will be sent here
if ten members are signed up for the
League.August 17 has been designated by
the State organization as a Day of
Prayer. It was announced, in the inter-
est of the National Convention which
will be held in San Francisco, Calif.MRS. LUELLA CLORE DIES
HERE THURSDAY MORNINGMrs. Luella Clore, wife of W. W.
Clore, died at her home in Vernon at
11:30 o'clock Thursday morning when
she gave birth to a child which also
died. Mr. Clore was in Dallas where
he is employed as a painter when his
wife died and he did not arrive in
Vernon until this morning. Funeral
services will be conducted at 4:30
o'clock Saturday afternoon in East
View Cemetery where burial will be
made.Mrs. Clore was born in Winchell
in 1888 and lived there until after she
was married. She has been living in
Vernon about a year. She is survived
by her husband and four children.JUDGES ARE APPOINTED
FOR ELECTION JULY 22The following have been named
judges for the election Saturday July
23, at which time five amendments to
the state constitution will be voted
upon: Precinct 1, West Vernon, J. B.
Morris; 2, East Vernon, R. D. Silver;
3, Oklaunion, J. M. King; 4, Harrold,
R. P. Burgess; 5, Mack, N. J. Reed;
6, Lockett, S. C. Davenport; 7, Highland,
L. L. Lincoln; 8, Tolbert, J. W. Dock-
ery; 9, Odell, J. M. Collins; 10,
Deans, D. W. May; 11, Hinds, W. J.
May; 12, Hanes, Claude Price; 13,
Guyer, E. B. Gillis; 14, Fargo, H. E.
Key; 15, Elliott, C. C. Pierce; 16,
Farmers Valley, Cleve Randle.

Fish On Wichita River.

A fishing party given by Mr. and
Mrs. J. S. Blanton in honor of their
daughters and son-in-laws, Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Merant of Amarillo and Mr.
and Mrs. A. J. Jackson of Kansas City,
Mo., resulted in a catch of about
175 pounds when camp was made on
Wichita River from Wednesday until
Friday of this week. Others in the
party were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Morris,
Mrs. Roy Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. George
Anell of Anell Ranch, Mrs. P. A.
Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A.
Kressenberg and family, Orlo
Bert and Jack Blanton.Mrs. W. M. Huff and Mrs. John W.
Hains of Hobart, Okla., are visiting
friends in the city.Miss Gladys Seals went to Wichita
Falls Monday to visit friends.COULD BEAT HANDS
SHUCKING HIS CORNAt Least J. A. White Would Bet So
After Being Relieved Of
Dyspepsia By Tanlac."My wife and myself have had
stomach trouble," says Mr. J. A. White,
residing on the Leestown Pike, R. F. D.
No. 6, near Lexington, Ky., "and have
both been nervous and run down.""We could not eat anything without
suffering afterwards and could not
sleep at night. We were regular ner-
vous dyspeptics. We tried many reme-
dies without permanent benefit until
we heard of Tanlac. I got this medi-
cine and began using it. We noticed
immediate results. We are both great-
ly improved by Tanlac. We give all
credit for the change of health to Tan-
lac. It is a remarkable medicine.""I personally feel so good that I
told my hands a day or two ago that I
could beat any of them shucking corn.
I meant it and believe I could have
beat 'em all."Of all the maladies that afflict hu-
manity chronic dyspepsia, such as Mr.
and Mrs. White suffered from, is prob-
ably the most prevalent and hours
might be consumed in describing the
sufferings, mental and bodily, of the
victims of chronic dyspepsia.A morbid, unreal, whimsical and
melancholy condition of the mind
aside from the nervous physical suf-
fering is the usual state of the aver-
age dyspeptic and life seems scarcely
worth the living.Tanlac, the celebrated medicine, was
designed especially for overcoming
this distressing condition and millions
of people have taken it with the most
astounding and gratifying results. It
seems to go straight to the spot, toning
up and invigorating every organ of the
body.Tanlac is sold in Vernon by Ferguson
Drug Company in Odell by R. J. Bel-
cher, in Harrold by Wilson Drug Com-
pany and leading druggists every-
where.MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS
SOCIAL SERVICE SESSIONThe Missionary Society of the Meth-
odist Church held its regular all-day
monthly meeting last Monday and con-
ducted a social service session. The
devotional services which opened the
day's meeting began with the singing
of "Rescue the Perishing," which was
followed by a scripture lesson taken
from Acts 3:1-9, led by Mrs. S. W.
Hayne. Mrs. J. H. McDonald of
Quanah, conference secretary, then in-
structed those present on the duties of
officers.Social and lunch hours were held
from 12 to 2 o'clock, and Mrs. A. B.
Stovall's circle served the noon meal.
About fifty-five were present. The
first hour afternoon was devoted to
Bible study, conducted by Rev. S. W.
Hayne, who talked on the paring of
Paul and Barnabas and the beginning
of Paul's second missionary journey.
Mrs. Y. H. Balasin then read and dis-
cussed the Social Service Creed and
Mrs. McDonald gave further instruc-
tions.Mrs. T. G. Currie was appointed
superintendent of children's work and
Mrs. A. B. Stovall was made her
assistant. They will meet every other
Friday, beginning this week, for work
with the children.FROM RINGS ON THEIR TOES
TO JEWELS ON THEIR NOSEPrincess Fatima, Sultana of Kabul,
Afghanistan, photographed on her ar-
rival in San Francisco recently from
the Orient, wearing a jewel on her
nose. The Princess is a cousin of the
Emir of Afghanistan. She is en route
to England with her three sons, who
will enter college there.

RED CROSS HINTS.

Play.

Mr. Office Worker, how many more
years have you to live?If you are more than 35 years old
you are living longer than the law of
averages allows you.Statistics of one of the greatest in-
surance organizations in the world
based on the mortality of thousands
of office workers show the startling
fact that American indoor workers die
at an average age of 35 years, just
when they should be in the highest
prime of their lives.You've only one life to live and
there's lots to be gotten out of life in
happiness and accomplishment before
the last page of the chapter is turned.
Why cut your span in half?Play more. Those two words sum
up the root of the whole problem of
virility and health for the man who
must work indoors. The average man
has at least 1400 hours a year in which
he can play. Recreation and play sets
up a barrage against disease, strength-
ens the system, makes life more world-
while.Stop chasing the dollar after office
hours. Forget your worries in the
evenings and get out of doors. See
how it feels to throw your pole out
once more in the old swimming hole
take a plunge in the river or swimming
pools of your city; get out on the golf
links or the tennis courts, challenge
your neighbor for a game of horse
shoes, see if you still remember how to
throw a baseball, try out your batting
eye again.There's some kind of play for every
kind of man. And play is the best
kind of insurance you can buy. It's
about the only thing that's "good for
you" that also is lots of fun.Play hard and you'll be alive and en-
joying "business as usual" long after
the other fellow chased the dollar and
the high cost of living into the cem-
etery.INVITATIONS ARE OUT
TO HICKS-CRAIG WEDDINGInvitations are out to the wedding of
Miss Frances Hicks and M. L. Weems
Craig which will take place at 8:30
o'clock next Wednesday evening at the
home of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. E. P. Hicks.The engagement of Mrs. Hicks to Mr.
Craig was announced July 5 since
which time a number of social affairs
have been given in her honor.Mrs. S. W. Bailey, Mrs. W. D. Berry
and Mrs. L. K. Johnson drove to Wich-
ita Falls for the day yesterday.For the convenience of the public I
have moved my hemstitching
machine into Mrs. Esther Key's
Millinery Store where I will be
glad to meet all customers.
Ten Cents a Yard Phone 283
MRS. J. D. KEY

51-9tp

Prices Down to Where They Belong

Have you noticed our prices on everything we sell. They are abso-
lutely down where they belong.
Our Fountain drinks are prepared right to suit your taste. Our Ice
Cream is absolutely pure and wholesome.
Our Homemade Candy is made with great care, and the best materi-
als that can be used.Remember our Coca Cola 6 cents
Vanilla-Ice Cream 45 Cents per quart. Cream Cones 5 cents.WE APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE.
CANDYLAND

Liberty Cafe

Vernon's Best
EATING HOUSEQUALITY
AND THE COURAGE TO BACK IT UPTrue courage is neither blind nor spectacular; true courage is patient,
careful, intelligent; it holds to an ideal and lives up to it in the face of
danger and difficulty.We have never catered to our price cutting competitors for we have
never carried anything in stock but high class merchandise; for our
customers are all of the better class, therefore nothing but quality goods
will do on our shelves.We pride ourselves on giving more friends than any other institution of
its kind in Vernon.Thirty-two years ago this business was founded in this city and we be-
lieve it is only reasonable to state that our present business is built on
nothing else than the reliability of our goods and the fairness of our
business policy.PARKER-DONGES
GROCERY COMPANYPICTORIUM
—THEATRE—

CONTINUOUS SHOW 10:30 A. M. TO 11:30 P. M.

Fri.

WILLIAM FAIRBANKS in

"Fighting Bill"

The Most Realistic Fight Picture Ever Produced.

Also "THE GUMPS" and SELZNICK NEWS

Sat.

EUGENE O'BRIEN

in
"Worlds Apart"

"Thunderbolt Jack No. 4" and "Neal Hart Western"

Mon.

BETTY COMPSON

ROY STEWART and CLARA HORTON

in
"PRISONERS OF LOVE"by
CATHERINE HENRY

Also SELZNICK NEWS

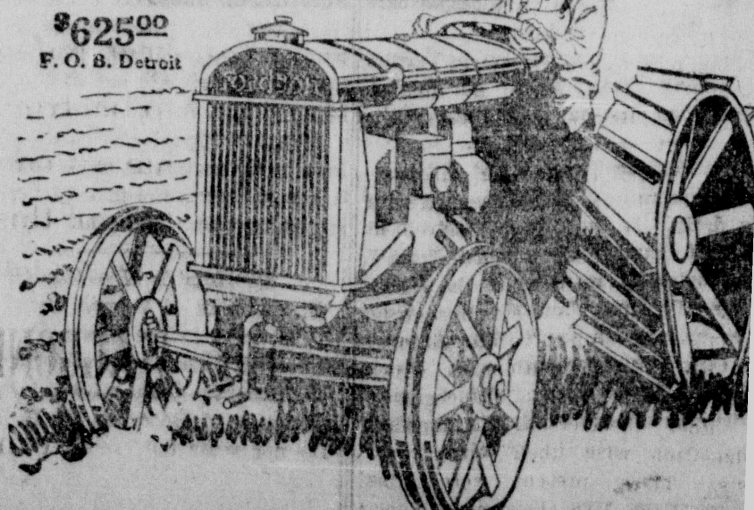
ANNOUNCEMENT

We have the pleasure of announcing that we have made ar-
rangements to furnish Vernon car owners DIAMOND
FABRIC AND CORD TIRES.The reason why we selected DIAMOND TIRES is because
we know they are high in quality and low in price.There are some tires being sold here at "bargain day"
prices, but later these so-called bargains will prove mighty
expensive tire equipment. Tires of standard makes are
much cheaper in the long run. BUY A DIAMOND.General Auto Supply Co.
Tire Store

IN THE WHITE GARAGE BUILDING

Fordson
TRACTORDo More
in a Day~
Do It BetterOne man with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can do more
work easier and with less
expense than two men can
do with horses. This means
that you with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can actually
raise more crops, with less
work and less expense. And
this means that your profits
will be greater with fewer
hours of work.Besides the FORDSON will take
care of every power job on the
farm. It is light, alert, flexible in
control and operation, yet it has
power and endurance to spare.You should see the FORDSON
at work to appreciate its wonder-
ful capabilities. We will gladly
give you the proofs if you will
ask for them, either by a personal
call, phone or post card.Napier Bros.
Motor Co.

Vernon, Texas

\$625.00
F. O. S. Detroit

IN SOCIETY

Entertains "42" Club.

Mrs. Daniel Bond entertained the Thursday "42" Club yesterday afternoon at which time the following members were present: Mesdames E. P. Hicks, Shirley Cook, A. C. Boger, T. J. Youngblood, Mart Boger, W. N. Stokes, Howard Reger, Harry Mason, F. L. Massie, N. R. Heath, C. S. McColloch, T. P. Lisman, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Wheatley, W. M. McCaleb, A. C. Rayzor and J. V. Townsend. Substitutes were Mesdames W. K. Long, Luther Webb, Bass King, Bob Ferrell and S. W. Bailey. Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Mary Anderson and Miss Bass Herrick, of Waco, presided at the punch bowl as the guests arrived. A salad course was served later in the afternoon.

Honors Two House-Guests.

Mrs. C. V. King entertained a large number of young ladies this morning in honor of her two house-guests, Miss Lorene Murphy and Miss Floy Scay of Honey Grove. Tables of "42" were arranged indoors and on the porch and both places were attractively decorated with zenias, daisies and sun-flowers. A dainty ice course made the refreshments. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. P. W. Hendrix, Mrs. Homer Rogers and Mrs. Harry Robinson. Those invited to meet Mrs. King's guests were Misses Woodie and Beryl Dixon, Doris Boger, Dorothy and Audrey Cook, Addie Thompson, Era Morris, Thelma Sherrill, Ruth and Thelma Batchelor, Johnnie Mallow, Juanita and Oleta Youngblood, Eleanor Phillips, Frances and Dorothy Hicks, Bess Herrick, Elizabeth Garner, Mary Anderson, Anna Jo Pendleton, Thelma Smith, Ima Works, Minnie King, Ethel Hanev, Leola Smith, Lilly Castlebury, Lizzie Hix, Ruby Williams, Inez Robinson, Beula and Maudie Ladd, Ruby Lizzie and Ethel Reese, Birdie Hiatt, Annie and Charlie Mae North, Georgia Castle, Mildred Young, Mary and Jewell Norwood, Scates, Blackman and Vera.

Entertain With Bridge.

Mrs. Roy Martin and Mrs. Anderson entertained a large number of their friends yesterday morning with a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Martin. The house was decorated for the occasion with many clusters of garden flowers of various varieties. A salad course was served the guests. Those invited were Mesdames R. B. Gibson, T. P. Lisman, Jr., C. E. Warren, Will Colley, W. M. Schindler, Harry Colley, R. H. Coffee, Howard Timberlake, E. M. Hanev, F. L. Massie, Emory Rhoads, Harry Mason, Josephine Collins, Cy Long, Joe Parker, R. B. Sherrill, M. J. Moore, Dee Norwood, J. G. Sherman, T. A. King, Hub Colley, C. V. King, W. W. Bennett, Y. H. Babasin, Roy McConihe, A. B. Garland, J. T. Glover, Bass King, E. L. Pendleton, H. K. Greever, Kelton Greever, E. C. Christian, O. A. Brunson, B. A. Williams, G. C. Kemp, H. A. Thompson, Foster Edmonson, S. W. Bailey, Della Housels, Henry Rogers and Vida Townsend; and Misses Harriett Thomas, J. L. Murray and Venita Denny.

Give Party Yesterday.

Mrs. Myatt Napier and Mrs. Bob Ferrell honored Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Napier. Daisies, zenias and other garden flowers were used in the attractively arranged decorations. Misses Elizabeth Hicks and Martha Long poured punch for the guests as they arrived and later a salad course was served. The high score favor, a hand embroidered apron, went to Miss Bess Herrick, and the guest of honor was given a hand made pillow. Members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and their house-guests, and Mrs. E. P. Hicks were present.

Gives Party For Class.

W. N. Stokes, teacher of the Young Ladies' Class of the Baptist Sunday School, entertained the members and their husbands and gentlemen friends last night at his home. Punch was served to the guests as they arrived and later other refreshments were served. A program was given during the evening, several talks on the work and aims of the class being made.

Gives Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. S. S. Munger gave a bridge luncheon yesterday morning honoring the bride-to-be, Miss Frances Hicks. The guests were invited for 10 o'clock and after they had assembled and played four hands of bridge a four course luncheon was served. Zenias and daisies combined with pink and white made the decorations. Covers were laid for Miss Hicks' bridesmaids and other members of the Tuesday Bridge Club, with their out-of-town guests. Those present were Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Oleta Youngblood, Miss Eleanor Phillips, Miss Juanita

NEEDS AN ANNEX FOR NEWEST MEDAL



"Ha! ha!" says "Stubby," smiling, as you plainly can see by the photograph. "Maybe there's something in this dog's life they talk about, after all! General Pershing just pinned a medal on me. Maybe you can't see it, because kings and others had stuck so many others on me. But it's there. Because I'm a wounded hero and everything. I'm a life member of the Y. M. C. A., with three bones a day and a place to sleep guaranteed. Pretty soft, what? That's the way "Stubby" feels about it all. "Stubby," a bull terrier, went through the World War with veterans of the One Hundred and Second Infantry, has been wounded and is the wearer of three service stripes. "Stubby's" latest medal came from the Humane Education Society and was presented by General Pershing at Washington.

Youngblood, Mrs. Walter McCaleb, Miss Adelle Sumner, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Robbie Standifer, Miss Donnalita Standifer, Miss Louis Pendar, Miss Helen White, Miss Bess Herrick, Miss Dorothy Hicks, Miss Elizabeth Garner, Mrs. Clint Swartwood. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. C. S. McColloch and Mrs. Della Housels.

Misses Youngblood Entertain.

Miss Oleta and Miss Juanita Youngblood entertained for Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge luncheon yesterday morning at their home on West Wilbarger street. Pink cannas were used for floral decorations and the color scheme of pink and white was

carried throughout. The high score prize was won by Miss Mary Anderson and favors were given to the guest of honor and to Miss Eleanor Phillips the hostess' house-guest. Covers were laid for only the young ladies who are to be in the Hicks-Craig wedding and their house-guests.

Entertains S. S. Class.

Miss Lillie Castlebury gave a picnic supper on the lawn at her home Tuesday night for the members of the Sunshine Workers class of the Methodist Sunday School of which she is teacher. About twenty-five were present and after supper, which was served at 6:30 o'clock, games were enjoyed in the yard.

The Vernon Abstract Co.

JAMES O. ROUSE, Manager

The oldest and best equipped abstract plant in Wilbarger County, modern and up to the minute. Managed during all its existence by successful business men and lawyers.

Let us figure with you. The price is right, the service is prompt, the work is dependable.

We invite you to use our free record service.

U. S. Davis, President; L. G. Hawkins, Vice President, James O. Rouse, Secretary and Manager.

The Scope of Our Usefulness

—The most important for the average depositor to learn is that his bank can be useful to him in many ways other than being a place to keep his money. This ought to be true of all banks; we have made it particularly true of this one.

THE WAGGONER NATIONAL BANK

Vernon, Texas

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who administered to the needs and brought the floral offerings in the sickness and death of our daughter and granddaughter, May. God's richest blessings rest on every one.

MR. and MRS. R. P. SMALL and family.

MR. and MRS. M. A. SMALL. 11

Mrs. Guy Ash, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Small, returned Wednesday to Decatur.

See the Trubipruff tires at Lutz & Schmoker's. Corner Texas and Main. 77-tfe

Money, Money, Money.

We have an endless chain of money to lend on farms, in Wilbarger, Foard, Hardeman, and other Western Texas counties. Long time, and at rates, as low as can be had any where. 101-tfe

T. P. LISMAN & SON



MESSENGER DELIVERY SERVICE

I have put on a messenger delivery service to deliver parcels, drugs, ice cream or any article—even ice if you want it delivered quickly.

You often want something from town—maybe a spool of thread, a loaf of bread, a prescription from the drug store, —it is my business to deliver it to you anywhere in the city limits promptly for

10 CENTS

For the present I will have my headquarters at the B. and W. Drug Store, phone 21. I have an automobile with which I can deliver your parcels.

ANYWHERE IN VERNON

S. D. ROGERS

THIS SALE SHATTERS ALL FORMER SALES FOR VALUE-GIVING ONE-HALF OFF

on the following merchandise, all Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other standard lines of clothing, in Dixie Weaves, Mohairs and Palm Beach.

\$15.00 Palm Beach Suits now	\$ 7.50
\$17.50 Palm Beach Suits now	\$ 8.75
\$20.00 Mohair Suits now	\$10.00
\$25.00 Mohair Suits now	\$12.50
\$30.00 Mohair Suits now	\$15.00
\$35.00 Dixie Weave Suits now	\$17.50
\$37.50 Dixie Weave Suits now	\$18.75

CAP BARGAINS

Our entire cap stock of the very latest styles and models will go at—ONE HALF PRICE

\$.75 Caps	\$.37
\$1.00 Caps	\$.50
\$1.50 Caps	\$.75
\$2.00 Caps	\$1.00
\$2.50 Caps	\$1.25



TAKE NOTICE

The man who likes a nice cool hat for mid-summer wear. Our entire stock of straws, Panamas and Baliluks will go at

ONE-HALF PRICE

One lot of men's shirts that formerly sold for \$1.50 to \$2.50, now89c

One special lot of men's shoes, which sold from \$10.00 to \$12.50, now\$5.85

Don't fail to call and see us for we have many other bargains, too many to mention. Give us a look before you buy for it is a pleasure to show you.

Dixon Dry Goods Company

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes



The Vernon Record

(Incorporated)

ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

Burford O. Brown.....Editor and Manager
Eric G. Schroeder.....Associate Editor
Albert D. Sheppard.....Advertising Manager

Entered in the postoffice at Vernon, Texas,
as second-class mail matter under act of
Congress, March 3, 1879.

Subscribers desiring a change in the ad-
dress of their paper should be careful to
give old as well as new address to insure
prompt attention.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year.....\$3.00
Six Months.....1.75
Three Months.....1.00
No subscription accepted for shorter period
than three months.

ADVERTISING RATES

Classified advertisements—1 1/2 cent a
word first insertion; three insertions, 3c a
word; minimum charge 25c.

Local reading notices—2c a word first in-
sertion; 3c a word for two insertions.
Card of thanks—50c.

Obituary notices—1c a word.
Poetry—2c a word.

Always include cash when mailing read-
ing notices.

Display advertising—Promotion, 50c a
column inch; all other, 45c.

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Friday, July 15, 1921.

BAD ROADS EXPENSIVE.

The loss to Wilbarger county from
highways that are bad (to say the
least) is hard to estimate. Every farm
er who goes to market pays toll of no
inconsiderable amount. This is par-
ticularly true when time is as valuable
to the farmer as it is now.

Perhaps the loss to the business man
is much less than to the farmer. That,
however, is by no means inconsider-
able.

Some of our roads do take the joy
out of driving, and the reputation of
the county as spread abroad by a
never-ending train of tourists who pass
back and forth intermittently, is a loss
of no small consequence.

Nor does it repay the loss to say
that the building of good dirt roads in
Wilbarger county is impossible. The
Record appreciates efforts put forth
by the county judge and commissioners
to improve county highways. In many
places their success has been admirable.

There are stretches of road where
travel must be at a snail's pace. The
surface is as hard as flint and if it
had been smoothed following June
rains an almost perfect road would be
the result now.

Few culverts along the Colorado-to-
the-Gulf Highway between Vernon and
Chillicothe can be taken at a speed
within the limits fixed by law without
danger of catapulting through the car
top, and the necessity for laying over
to repair broken springs. The ap-
proaches to Pease river bridge are
such that it is well to stop one's ears
when the driver approaches them.

It may be possible that a lack of
funds, or the inability to get workmen,
or the great amount of work being
done elsewhere is delaying these very
important repairs. Certainly no one
is culpably negligent. The fact re-
mains that every man who travels is
paying heavy toll as a result of the
condition of our roads.

Williamson county is spending \$191-
167.40 on a permanent highway from
Georgetown to the Travis county line.
Of this amount the Federal and State
governments pay one-half.

PERMANENT SUPPORT FOR EDU- CATION.

It is surprising that President Vin-
son should have complained to the
commercial executives, meeting in Aus-
tin, that the University is forced to
face the necessity of taking care of a
constantly increased attendance on an
ever decreasing unit cost. Does it not
seem reasonable that the "unit cost,"
or cost per student should decrease as
the number increases—and especially
so since the cost of everything is go-
ing down?

Few will attempt to reason against
President Vinson's statement that the
State University (and other education-
al institutions supported by the Com-
monwealth) should have permanent
support. Admitting that each legis-
lature is friendly to the institutions
and in sympathy with their ever grow-
ing program, there is an uncertainty
about legislative appropriations that
practically precludes any definite and

permanent plan for our educational in-
stitutions.

By providing a fixed rate for them
the task of their administrative offi-
cers is made much easier, a compre-
hensive plan may be laid down for growth
and many useless expenditures (such
as makeshift heretofore necessary)
may be avoided. Let the tax be 1 mill
—more or less, as may seem wise—but
make it permanent, and take our edu-
cational institutions out of politics.

General Dawes knowledge of music,
it is to be hoped, will enable him to
compose his latest masterpiece—The
Budget Blues—with just enough jazz
to make it take in the National Capital.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMEND- MENTS.

Tuesday's editorial should have re-
cited that the Secretary of State re-
ceives \$2,000 a year. It is proposed to
increase the compensation to \$5,000 a
year. This is the pay it is proposed to
attach to the officers of Treasurer,
Comptroller, and Land Commissioner.

The amendment would fix the salary
of Governor at \$8,000 a year and that
of the Attorney General at \$7,500.
This increase would mean an addition-
al tax of only one-half cent on the man
who pays on an assessed valuation of
\$1,000, or 5c on \$10,000.

Amendment No. 3 would increase the
assessment for Confederate pensions
from 5 cents to 7 cents on the \$100.
The increase is a trifle. It will serve
to make more comfortable the last
days of those veterans who have suf-
fered so many privations, and whose
number is rapidly diminishing.

Amendment No. 4 would increase the
pay of legislators to \$10 a day for a
session of 120 days and not to exceed
\$5 a day thereafter. On the other
hand it would reduce by half the pre-
sent mileage allowance of not to exceed
\$5 for each 25 miles.

It is certain that governmental of-
fices should never pay well enough to
cause them to be sought for the sal-
aries attached. Few ill gainsay the
statement, however, that the pay
should be enough to enable those who
fill them to support, to a reasonable
degree at least, the dignity of the of-
fice.

The fifth amendment provides that
only native-born or naturalized citizens
may vote; that a husband may pay the
poll tax of his wife, or a wife that of
her husband, and that the legislature
may authorize absentee voting. As
the law now is a foreigner may vote
as soon as he declares his intention of
becoming a citizen.

If American citizenship is worth
having, surely it is reasonable to ask
that a foreigner wait until he becomes
a citizen before he is given the priv-
ilege of voting. This, of all the amend-
ments, is perhaps most important.

Putting the first last—Amendment
No. 1 proposes to abolish the Board of
Prison Commissioners established by
Section 58 of Article XVII. Through
error this is described on the ballot as
amendment to Section 58 of "Article
XVII." It is doubtful of this error
does not make illegal the amendment,
even if it should be adopted. So that,
without going into the merits of the
question, any vote on Amendment No.
1 will perhaps be equivalent to a nega-
tive.

Surely Texans will vote "Yes" on
Amendments 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Building good roads when Uncle Sam
and the State of Texas will pay half
the bill surely seems letting the other
fellow "set 'em up" before the Volstead
law went into effect.

GET YOUR SHARE?

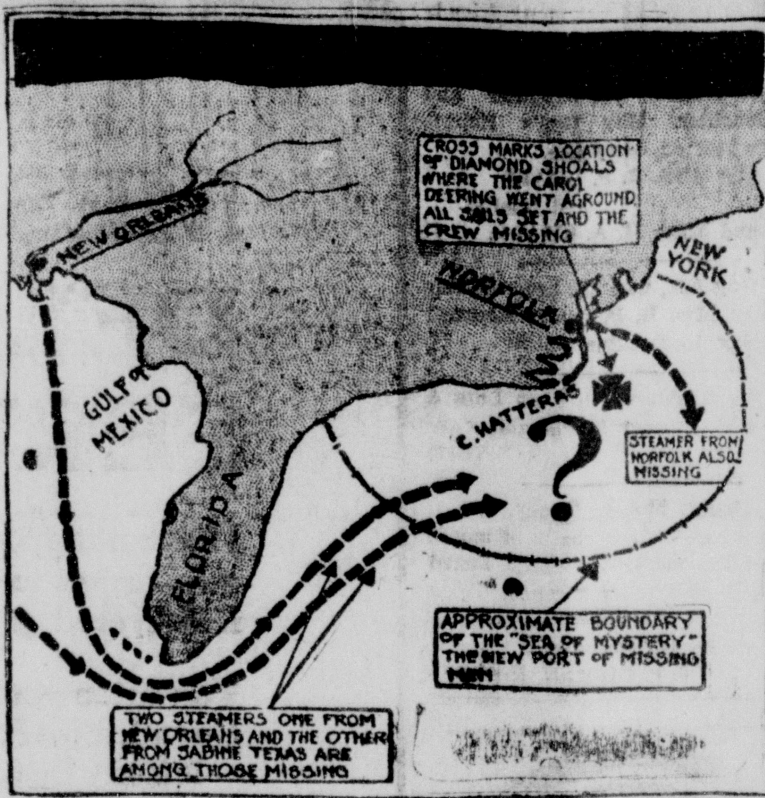
Five hundred thousand gallons of
water a day is the average consump-
tion in Vernon, according to City Engi-
neer A. J. Robinson. On the basis of
5,143 people (figures given by the
United States census), this is an av-
erage of only little less than a hundred
gallons for each person.

Do you get your share?

Of course, the water is an item of ex-
pense, and the use of 100 gallons for
each member of a large family, would
mean considerable at the end of the
month. Without a lawn and flowers
such quantity of water is not at all
necessary.

It is a source of gratification that
Vernon home-owners are interested in

THE "SEA OF MYSTERY."



The seven seas are being searched by ships of the U. S. Navy in the hope
of finding some trace of the twelve or more vessels which mysteriously disap-
peared. Government officials in discussing the case hinted at piracy of the
kind that harks back to the days of Captain Kidd. One theory is that bootleg-
gers are using the craft in liquor running in the South. The map shows where
the Carroll A. Deering is believed to have gone down, while the question mark
takes in the territory of the mid-Atlantic seaboard, where other ships are
thought to have disappeared.

lawn and flowers. These things speak
eloquently of the citizenship of the
community. They also have a direct
and considerable bearing upon the
character of our men and women of to-
morrow.

The fact that Vernon has a water
supply ample for such demands is also
gratifying. Water, well kept lawns
and flower gardens are all consider-
able assets to any community.

Maybe American society girls are
merely fighting the dress goods trust
when they "make up" their faces and
wear so few dry goods.

Open Column.

Brace Up.

If life seems unkind and pleasures are
few—
And the grey of the cloud hides all
trace of blue—

You wonder why, of millions of men,
Fate should have picked you—Ah, then
It is time to brace up—to say, with a
grin,

"I'll fight once again—and fight to
win"

With duty as umpire let us do our
best—

If true to ourselves we will weather
the test—

Only a coward gives up in despair—
The brave will ever the burden bear.

So brace up! and fight! and say, with
a grin,

"I'm here to the finish!"—then go in
and win!

N. E. C.

The Next Governor of Texas.

In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram of
the 13th inst.; I notice the following
on page sixteen: "What promises to be
an open breach between the Governor
and members of the Legislature at the
coming special session was foreshadowed
late Tuesday, when over half a
dozen members of both branches, who
are also members of the House and
Senate appropriation committees
made public a statement "that we will
not support Governor Neff's program
for an increased burden on the people
of Texas by seeking new sources of
revenue." The same article further
says: The statement declares that
"one must come to the conclusion that
the Governor of this great state went
before the people of Texas without
correct information, and innocently
mistaken facts, or must come to the
conclusion that for some reason, un-
known to the people of Texas, he went
before them and misstated facts."

In an editorial of the same issue, the
following: "One passage of Governor
Neff's Corsicana speech ought not to
be permitted to go unchallenged. He
said: 'I vetoed \$6,000,000 of the special
appropriations the Legislature made.
That was about all I could veto with-
out crippling the service. I got into
trouble, too. I came near to dividing
the State. I'll tell you things were
looking pretty serious for a while.
They held an indignation meeting and
said they wouldn't live in a State that
had such a man for Governor."

"This editorial further states that
Governor Neff knows that these in-
dignation meetings were held, not be-
cause of the veto of \$6,000,000, but
rather because of his veto of the West
Texas Agricultural and Mechanical
College bill.

I go on record as being opposed to
the division of our State and believe
this is the sentiment of at least 75 per
cent of our people, but there does seem

to be something wrong in the ma-
chinery of our state government. From
my view point we have not had a
governor of Texas for years who was
at all satisfactory. It seems the men
of the Reagan, Ross, Hogg or Roberts
type have not been brought out for this
great office in this state for years. I
ask in all sincerity, "Why should not
Wilbarger county, yes, Vernon, furn-
ish the next governor?" I believe that
the man I have in mind would carry
every precinct in West Texas and can
be elected if he will only make the
race. I believe also that no man can
afford to refuse when the people de-
mand that he give them his service as
a state official. This gentleman is a
scholar, a man of rare ability, of ripe
experience and one who would I be-
lieve restore the State to its standard
of bygone statesmanship. I refer to
the Hon. W. D. Berry. Who will
second the nomination?

B. F. HOLCOMB.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Byars left yes-
terday for a visit in Lockney and
Plainview, on the South Plains. A
brother of Mr. Byars lives in Floyd
county.

Kodak finishing—the kind you want
at the price you want to pay. Clifton
Studio. Itc

J. N. Mann of Roswell, N. M., has
been visiting his brother, Frank Mann,
assistant postmaster. The former gen-
tleman formerly owned the City Bak-
ery, and moved from Vernon to Mem-
phis.

Bring your kodak films to the Clif-
ton Studio for satisfactory results.
Itc Adv.

Never trouble, trouble till trouble
troubles you. Then go to Lutz &
Schmoker's and get a set of Troublepruf
dres for your car, then your tire trou-
bles will be over. 77-tfc

D. ESTES

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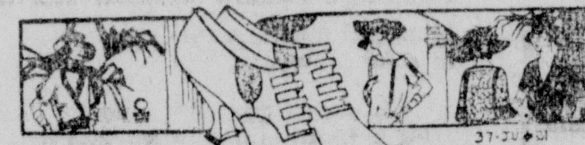
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1 Lot Pumps and low
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1 Lot Black Kid Cu-
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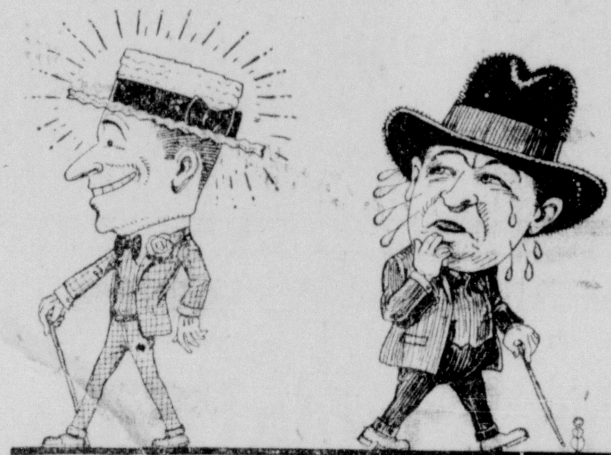
We will exchange merchandise or refund your money on any purchase not satisfactory.



Our salespeople will do their best to see that you get what you are looking for. Prompt and efficient service.

All Stetson Hats, Men, at One-Third Off.

All \$9.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	\$ 6.00
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All \$12.50 Stetson Hats reduced to	8.35
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Get Under One of These Half Price Straw Hats and Smile

Our entire stock of Straws will go quickly at HALF PRICE. Not an old one in the lot.

Men's \$3.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	\$1.75
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Men's \$6.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.25
Men's \$7.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.75
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Boys' Odd Pants Reduced.

All Boys' \$1.50 Pants reduced to	\$.98
All Boys' \$2.00 Pants reduced to	1.45
All Boys' \$2.50 Pants reduced to	1.95
All Boys' \$3.00 Pants reduced to	2.35
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All Men's Ties Reduced.

55c Ties reduced to only	\$.35
75c Ties reduced to only	.49
95c Ties reduced to only	.69
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All Tennis Shoes and Slippers at Half Price.

All \$1.50 Tennis Shoes and Slippers	\$.75
All \$2.00 Tennis Shoes for	1.00
All \$2.50 Keds for only	1.25
All \$3.00 Keds for only	1.50
All \$3.50 Keds for only	1.75

Men's Work Gloves at Bargain Prices.

All Men's \$1.50 Work Gloves only	1.00
All Men's \$2.00 Work Gloves only	1.65
All Mens \$2.50 Work Gloves only	1.85
All Men's \$3.00 Work Gloves only	2.35
All Men's \$3.50 Work Gloves only	2.85
Men's Canvas Gloves, with leather palms	.25
Men's plain Canvas Gloves, 3 pair for	.25

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Here's the Way They Go! Men.

All \$15.00 Men's Suits reduced to	\$10.00
All \$19.50 Men's Suits reduced to	13.00
All \$24.50 Men's Suits reduced to	16.35
All \$29.50 Men's Suits reduced to	19.65
All \$34.50 Men's Suits reduced to	23.00
All \$39.50 Men's Suits reduced to	26.35
All \$44.50 Men's Suits reduced to	29.65

Take Advantage of This Event to Buy the Boys a New Suit.

One lot of Boys' Palm Beach Suits at only	\$ 1.95
Boys' \$5.00 Woolen Suits reduced to	3.35
Boys' \$7.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	4.95
Boys' \$9.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	6.95
Boys' \$12.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	8.95
Boys' \$15.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	9.85
Boys' \$19.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	12.85

All Boys' Wash Suits Half Price.

Half price on our Wash Suits means that you can buy the suits for less than the cost of the material. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Boys' \$2.00 Wash Suits reduced to	\$1.00
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Men! Here Are Some Hot Ones—Don't Overlook a Single One.

Men's best grade Blue Overalls and Jumpers, in all sizes, per garment	\$1.15
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 6 to 15 years	\$.65
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 29 to 31, waist	.75
Men's \$2.00 Khaki Pants, 29 to 31 waist	1.45
Men's \$2.50 Khaki Pants, 30 to 44 waist, for	1.95
Men's Derrick Blue Work Shirts, 14 to 20, for	.75
Men's \$1.50 Khaki Shirts, 14 to 17 1-2 at	1.15
Men's 15c Sox in all colors, for only	.09
Men's Red and Blue Bandana Handkerchiefs	.09
Men's large size Harvest Hats for only	.25
Men's Lee Union-alls, khaki color, 34 to 48, at	2.95
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 2 to 7 years	1.25
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 8 to 11 years	1.45
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 12 to 16 years	1.75
Men's Paris Single Grip Garters	.25
Men's Paris Double Grip Garters	.35
Men's 10c White Handkerchiefs	.07
Men's 15c White Handkerchiefs	.10
Men's 25c White Handkerchiefs	.15
Men's 35c White Handkerchiefs at	.19
Men's 50c Belts for only	.35
Men's 75c Belts for only	.50
Men's \$1.00 Belts for only	.75
Men's \$1.50 Belts for only	1.00
Men's \$1.75 Belts for only	1.35
Men's \$2.50 Belts for only	1.65
Men's Sterling Silver Initial Belt Buckles at	.39c, 79c and \$1.15

Every Garment of Men's Summer Underwear Will Be Sold at Substantial Reductions.

All Men's 75c Underwear for	\$.49
All Men's \$1.00 Underwear for	.85
All Men's \$1.50 Underwear for	1.19
All Men's \$2.00 Underwear for	1.45

Extra Special Cut on Boys' Union Suits.

Choice of all Boys' 75c and \$1.00 Union Suits during this sale at only

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All sizes 6 to 16 years. These prices are lower than pre-war times.



Men's Low Cut Shoes at One-Third Off Our Already Low Prices.

Men's \$10.00 Stacy-Adams Low Cuts reduced to	\$6.65
Men's \$9.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	6.00
Men's \$8.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.35
Men's \$7.50 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.00

All Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes Greatly Reduced for Quick Selling.

All \$1.50 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	\$1.15
All \$1.75 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	\$1.35
All \$2.00 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.65
All \$2.50 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.95
All \$3.00 Women's and Children's Low Shoes for	2.35
All \$3.50 Women's and Children's Low Shoes	2.85
All \$4.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.25
All \$4.50 Women's Low Shoes for	3.65
All \$5.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.85
All \$7.50 Women's Low Shoes for	5.85

All Men's and Boys' High Shoes Lowered for This Occasion.

Men's Stacy-Adams Shoes for only	\$10.85
Men's Packard \$10.00 Shoes for only	7.95
Men's Packard \$8.50 Shoes for	6.95
Men's Star Brand \$9.00 Shoes for only	7.45
Men's Star Brand \$8.50 Shoes for only	6.95
All Men's \$7.50 Shoes on sale for only	5.95
All Men's \$7.00 Shoes on sale for only	5.45
All Men's \$6.00 Shoes on sale for only	4.85
All Men's \$5.00 Shoes on sale for only	3.95
All Men's \$4.00 Shoes on sale for only	2.95
All Men's \$3.50 Shoes on sale at only	2.65
All Boys' \$5.00 Shoes on sale at only	3.95
All Boys' \$4.00 Shoes on sale at only	2.95
All Boys' \$3.50 Shoes on sale at only	2.65

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All 75c Caps for	\$.49
All \$1.00 Caps for	.75
All \$1.50 Caps for	.98
All \$2.00 Caps for	1.35
All \$2.50 Caps for	1.65
All \$3.00 and \$3.50 Caps for	\$1.95



Every Pair of Men's Sox in the House Reduced.

All Men's 15c Sox reduced to only	9c
All Men's 25c Sox reduced to	19c
All Men's 40c Sox reduced to	29c
All Men's 75c Sox reduced to	59c
All Men's 80c Sox reduced to	65c
All Men's \$1.00 Sox reduced to	75c
All Men's \$1.50 Sox reduced to	98c

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CHILDREN STRIVE TO GAIN WEIGHT IN NUTRITION CLASS

Red Cross Nurse and Home Demonstration Agents Have Interested Little Folks In Working or Number of Pounds Which They Should Have—Advocate Sleep and Milk.

The mothers of fifteen of the sixty children who were found to be in the underweight danger zone when they were examined at the Child Welfare Conference held here early in the summer, are now co-operating with the county Red Cross nurse and home demonstration agents in an effort to make these little folks normal. The second meeting of the nutrition class was held yesterday morning when this number were present, and three mothers came with their children.

The little tots themselves are vitally interested in the matter of gaining the few extra pounds that they need to make them measure up to the standard weight; and they are working to get their record cards decorated with red blue and gold stars. The only child to win a gold star yesterday because he had gained a half pound in the week since the previous meeting of the class hopped down off the scales happier than did any of the others. His smiling face unmistakably indicated that he was as proud of that half pound as he would have been of a half dollar.

Get Star for Sleeping.

The children are given blue stars if they report twelve hours of sleep each night and an hours rest each afternoon for a period of a week; and a red star goes on the card if they learn to eat a new food that has been recommended to them in class.

The nutrition class meets every Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and lasts for about an hour. The children are first given a short talk or lesson on matters of health and then they play for a few minutes before they are served with wholesome refreshments. Yesterday morning Miss Rose Edmann, Public Health nurse, talked to them on the care of the teeth. They were shown the right kind of tooth brushes to use and the proper way to brush with them. They were urged to sleep the amount required to gain a blue star and to drink at least three glasses of milk a day.

Ice Cream And Graham Crackers.

They were given ice cream and graham crackers for their lunch at 11 o'clock.

On the first meeting day of the class there were twenty-two children present but all of them did not return yesterday. It is very important, Miss Edmann says, that they be present every week because they forget the lessons taught them unless they attend regularly and have the health principles repeated to them. It is also desired to keep complete records of the progress the little folks make during the three months that the class will be conducted.

The mothers are as welcome at these meetings as are the children. Miss Edith Lacy said yesterday. In fact they are urged to attend. On some days talks will be made to them as well as the children.

Fargo News

Fargo, July 14.—(By special correspondence.)—Most of the farmers of the community are busy breaking their wheat land for another crop. A light rain now would be greatly appreciated.

Miss Edith Hyde of Altus, Okla., who has been visiting Miss Mae Crisp the past two months, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Smith of Vernon spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Greene.

Charlie and Frank Mason, Bryan Hutchinson, "Dutch" Price, Titus and Howard Holland, Elmer Owen and Wixie Harrison left Monday for the Plains to work on the wheat harvest. They went through in Mason Brothers trucks.

Little Miss Inez Norred is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Hays Carbell of Lockett.

Mrs. Johnny Miller of near Sherwood is visiting Mrs. D. L. Lovelace this week.

Several from the community attended the all day singing at White City Sunday.

Thelma Greene has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Packer expect to leave Monday for Dallas to visit Mrs. Packer's parents. They will be gone about thirty days.

Bro. Pearson of Odell will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and night. There will be singing there in the afternoon.

Money on improved farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

ORDERS OF TEMPLE GIVEN IN SEYMOUR

MEMBERS OF VERNON COMMANDERY SPENT DAY IN NEIGHBORING CITY WEDNESDAY

NO-2—ORDERS OF TEMPLE—

Orders of the Temple were conferred on twelve candidates of the Seymour Commandery Wednesday. A delegation from Vernon spent the day there in this work, and report a great deal of interest in the Baylor county metropolis in Masonry.

Those who went to Seymour were: Sir L. G. Hawkins, Rt. Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas; W. D. Berry, J. M. Napier, E. L. Witty, A. P. McCleary, L. E. Koster, R. H. Bratton, N. B. Hodge, H. W. Norwood, J. W. Leak, J. C. Lewellen, S. E. Porterfield, B. H. Lewis, and T. J. Youngblood. The Vernon delegation were guests of the Seymour Chamber of Commerce at luncheon Wednesday noon.

The road between Vernon and Seymour is in fine condition according to those who made the trip. They insist that Vernon and Seymour people should visit more often, thereby getting better acquainted.

Recipe For Canning Beans.

This is the month for bean canning according to the home demonstration agents. Those who have not had the opportunity, through the medium of the club, to see demonstrations in this particular culinary art may find the following recipe of help.

The Refugee bean is a good variety for canning. The beans should be tender and fresh. When the beans with in the pod have grown to any size canning is more difficult and the product of poorer quality from a commercial standpoint. For canning, only well sorted, small, tender beans should be used.

String the beans and cut them into two inch lengths; cutting diagonally or "on the bias" gives a pretty product. In glass they may be canned whole, packed, log cabin fashion in square jars. Blanch three to eight minutes or until the pod will bend without breaking, and plunge into cold water for an instant. Drain well, pack quickly, and cover with brine. When the beans are young and tender process pints two hours continuously at boiling temperature, or, if more mature beans are packed, process intermittently. Process quarts intermittently, forty-five minutes under ten pounds steam, at a temperature of 24 degrees.

Lima beans are treated as peas, adding sugar and seasoning instead of brine. This seasoning is added when the jar is half packed with beans. When the jar is filled with beans, cover them with clear water, paddle to remove air bubbles, and process as for peas.

Home-Made Candy Market.

The Willing Workers Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School will have a home-made candy market in Mallow and Minarik's Meat Market Saturday afternoon. Come and buy from us. 52-2tc Adv.

See us for money on farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

J. D. Key went Wednesday to Burk Burnett.

We are again prepared to do your kodak finishing. Clifton Studio. 1tc

R. C. and Hubert Thompson left Tuesday in their truck for the Plains, where they go to work in the harvest.

J. D. Morris and Charles Blackwood have returned from the Plains, where they went to work in the harvest. They were north of Goodnight.

See the Trubirt Tires at J. E. Lutz's office, corner Texas and Fannin streets. 63-tf

George B. Zachry of White Produce Company returned yesterday from Memphis, Childress, and other points up the Denver, where the company has houses.

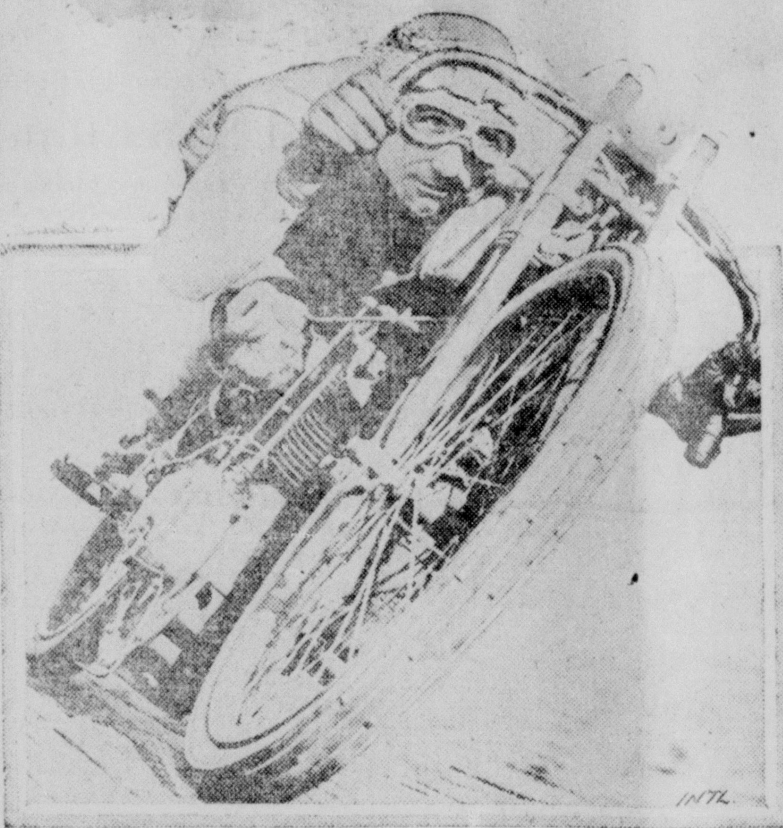
O—U Money. We have plenty to loan on improved farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

L. E. Piper, cashier of the Waggoner National Bank, is spending ten days in San Antonio. Mrs. Piper, Miss Dorothy, and Mrs. Piper's father are also in San Antonio.

Money to loan on improved farms Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

A. Allison is on the South Plains looking after his farms. Mrs. Allison accompanied him to their farms in Oklahoma, and returned home from Quanah.

CAMERA BEATS MOTORCYCLE.



Speed photographs with absolute clarity of detail such as this one are rare. In fact, for motorcycle racers to attain a speed of 112 miles an hour thus surpassing the speed of the fastest racing cars and trains is a feat never accomplished until attained by Fred Ludlow, shown in the photo. The picture was made at the new Beverly Hills Speedway in Los Angeles during this record breaking event. As evidence of the advance in speed photography, this picture is quite as interesting as Ludlow's feat.

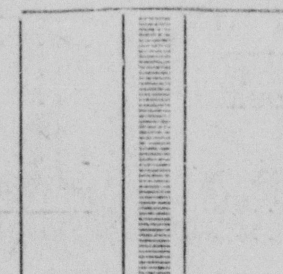
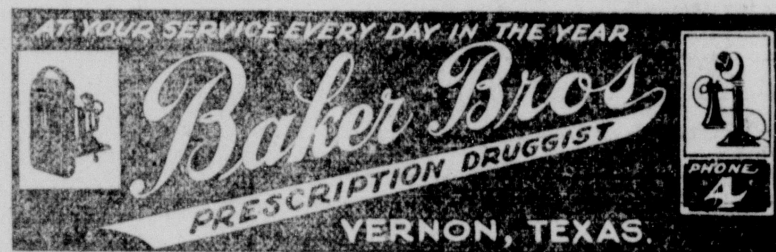
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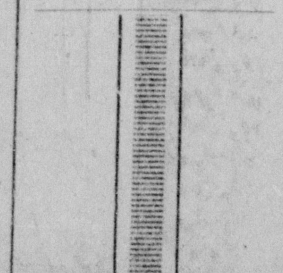
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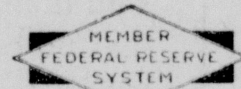
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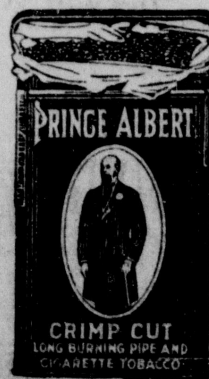
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We print it right here that if you don't know the "feel" and the friendship of a joy'us jimmy pipe—GO GET ONE! And—get some Prince Albert and bang a howdy-do on the big smoke-gong!

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FORMER ARMY MAN HIGHWAY DIRECTOR

**CAPTAIN McMAHAN ORGANIZED
FIRST MOTOR TRUCK TRANS-
PORT ACROSS CONTINENT**

Captain B. Strange McMahan has been appointed Field Director of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway. This is in accordance with plans outlined by the directors at their last annual meeting. "Captain McMahan has had a great amount of highway experience," says a letter from President C. H. Walker of Dalhart, "and enters upon his work with the proper vision of the possibilities of this great interstate highway. We doubt not that in due course of time it will be recognized as one of the great major highways throughout the United States."

Captain McMahan organized and commanded the first motor truck transport across the United States in 1919 and has been commended many times by the War Department for his success in this undertaking. He was associated with the Lincoln Highway Association, and is familiar with plans and methods of other great highway organizations.

In order to finance an organization and public campaign it is proposed to offer individual membership all along the route of road uniformly from Galveston and Brownsville to Denver with a durable enameled marker.

Plans of the directors call for a prospectus of the highway, with sectional strip maps that will give tourists all necessary information. It is also proposed to see that the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway is recognized by all map makers. A bi-weekly bulletin is also planned, which will give important information as to condition of roads and weather.

One of the purposes of this bulletin is to encourage all-year tourist travel. People of the Northwest will be encouraged to spend their winters on the Gulf coast, just as Texans are now spending their summers in the mountains.

Entertains With Lawn Party.

Miss Ruth Sewell entertained with a lawn party last night complimentary to Miss Virginia Bonax or Sherman and Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday who are visiting in Vernon. Out-door games were enjoyed, and punch, ice cream and cake were served. Those invited were Misses Mattie Mae Renfro, Merle Brunson, Mildred Robinson, Katherine McCulloch, Katherine Wheatley, Katherine Dodson, Eva Katherine Rayzor, Jewell Hicks, Iris Young, Ellen Castlebury, Christine Keltz, Sue Hiatt, Letta Williams, Virginia Crean, Irene Spears, Margaret Rouse, Gladys Thompson, Martha Long, Adele Housels, Elizabeth Hicks, Lennie Bonner, Hazel McElroy, Frances Murchison, Virginia Sewell and Frances Kemp; and Messrs. Guy Norwood, Mery Staley, Theron Staley, Buel Cooper, Curtis Piper, Granville Dawson, Robert Sherrill, Robert Wright, Robert Stokes, Robert More, Frank Massie, Wayne Greene, A. C. Boger, Herman Abbott, James Reger, James Renfro, Harlow Rouse, Henry Rogers, E. M. Leutwyler, Jr., Aubrey Huddleston, Bertram Lisman, Nolan Backus, Leil Buchanan, Buddy Rogers and Paul Wilhelm.

Case Is Tried On Special Issues.

The case of Richie, Key & Eagan vs. Haskell, suit on commission, was tried yesterday in the County Court. It went to a jury on special issues. Judge E. L. McHugh has not yet rendered judgment on the findings of the jury.

Vernon to Have Messenger Service.

S. D. Rogers is establishing a messenger service in Vernon. For the present headquarters will be in the R. & W. Drug Company. Mr. Rogers comes to Vernon from Temple, and is a brother of F. L. Rogers, who is with the Southwestern Telephone Company. A charge of 10c is made for delivery of any article.

Miss M. Louise Collins of Dixon Dry Goods Company left Tuesday on an extended buying trip to St. Louis, Chicago and New York. Miss Collins went direct to her home in Okkatoosa, Iowa, to visit her mother before beginning her buying trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Storey have gone from Galveston to South America, according to a letter received by J. A. Storey. They write that they will return by way of Yucatan and Mexico and will be back in about five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher are expected home today. Since their wedding in Gatesville, July 5, the couple superintended and his bride have been on a honeymoon trip through Central Texas.

Miss Lizzie Seals has returned from a two weeks visit in Wichita Falls and Archer City.

W. K. Long went to Memphis on business Wednesday.

FIRST PHOTO OF INTERNATIONAL POLO MATCHES WON BY AMERICANS.



The above photo, which gives a wonderful idea of the speed of the game, shows a sharp tussle in front of the Americans' goal. The Yankee players won both matches, which decided the International championship.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—2,500 bushels of ear corn. C. P. Hamilton, 8 miles east of Odell. 33-34p

FOR SALE—At a bargain, furniture and rugs. Corner Wanderer and Violet. 33-21p

FOR TRADE—18 eighteen model Buick touring car to trade for Ford truck. T. C. Young South Violet Street. 32-33p

FOR SALE—At Tolbert, Texas, 8 head of work stock consisting of horses and mares weighing from 1,000 to 14,000 pounds. Will sell on terms until October. H. M. Brummett. 44-16p

PREVENT SPRING BUG TROUBLES—Feed Martin's Blue Bug Remedy to chickens for blue bugs and other insects. Guaranteed. For sale by Baker Bros. Drug Store. 25-10c Fr

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms. Phone 585. 32-21

FOR RENT—Light house-keeping rooms. Mrs. J. D. Key, Phone 261. 32-20p

FOR RENT—Modern light house-keeping rooms, close in. Call J. W. Johnson. Sam Novit's Grocery. 32-33p

Lost, Strayed or Stolen

LOST—Brown leather grip between Chris Schmolzer's farm and fairgrounds—containing pair boots, ladies and child's wearing apparel. Return to Record for reward. E. N. Fowler. 11p

LOST—Jeweled fraternity pin consisting of sword emblazoned on shield. Engraving on back. Finder return to Record office and receive reward. 49-31p

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—My home at 718 West Texas. Five rooms and bath, 120 foot front. Good terms. Phone 627. 33-31p

FOR SALE—Fine residences at a bargain. See us. T. P. Lisman & Son. 37-14c

WANTED

WANTED—A partner, man or woman, active or silent in a clean garment business. Must have one thousand dollars. Address Box 170, Vernon, Texas. 32-21p

No. 1004

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the
FIRST GUARANTY STATE BANK
at Oklahoma, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$ 76,109.05
Bonds and Stocks—Customers' Liberty Bonds.....	150.00
Real Estate (banking house).....	2,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand.....	33,959.87
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	687.58
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	673.18
TOTAL.....	\$115,667.08
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	574.80
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	\$8,755.43
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	2,465.80
Cashier's Checks.....	1,521.45
Bills Payable and Accounts.....	5,000.00
Bonds Deposited—Customers' Liberty Bonds.....	150.00
TOTAL.....	\$115,667.08

State of Texas, County of Wilbarger:
We, C. A. Allingham, as president, and Roscoe Rainwater, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. A. ALLINGHAM, President.
ROS COE RAINWATER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, A. D. 1921.
J. T. GOSSETT,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:
J. W. RAINWATER,
MILES RAINWATER,
OTTO STEHLIK, Directors.

No. 672

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the
FARMERS STATE BANK
at Vernon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$345,717.73
Loans, real estate.....	28,712.88
Warrants (City).....	3,000.00
Real Estate (banking house).....	15,430.61
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,638.35
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand.....	115,067.20
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	4,587.73
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund.....	4,981.94
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange.....	3,028.22
Other resources.....	10,977.50
Total.....	\$534,202.26

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock paid in.....\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund.....50,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....12,017.95
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....326,211.67
Time Certificates of Deposit.....44,338.50
Cashier's Checks.....1,494.95
Total.....\$534,202.26

State of Texas, County of Wilbarger:
We, H. H. Rhoads, as president, and R. B. Gibson, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. H. RHOADS, President.
R. B. GIBSON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, A. D. 1921.
J. A. STOREY,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:
EMORY RHOADS,
F. L. MASSIE,
A. M. BOYLAND, Directors.

Wants Information About Vernon.

G. M. Thompson of Hubbard is interested in Vernon. Mayor Harry Mason is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Thompson, asking if Vernon has an automobile tourist camping ground in or near town; also for a list of the most important attractions in and near Vernon. Inquiry is made about fishing, and if a location can be secured here.

Wants Carload of Alfalfa.

J. W. Nellon of Lancaster, Texas has written the local chamber of commerce, asking information about alfalfa hay. "Will you please hand this letter to some reliable farmer who can load me a car of choice alfalfa hay and have him quote me price f. o. b. Vernon?" is Mr. Nellon's request.

Miss Gladys Powers of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McCulloch and family and Mrs. William Denny.

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Inter-State Inspectors

Office—Ferguson Drug Company
Vernon, Texas.

Dr. T. J. Worrell Dr. E. B. Jones
Res. Phone 716 Res. Phone 498

Stock Law Sale.

By virtue of an assessment and award of damages and fees, duly filed in the office of the Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. One of Wilbarger County, Texas, I will proceed and sell, as under execution, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the fourth Saturday in July, A. D. 1921, at the Court House at Vernon, Wilbarger County, Texas, in said county, the following described impounded stock, viz: One bay mare about 7 years old, about 16 hands high, had on a halter when impounded, no marks or brands; one dark brown horse mule, about 4 years old, about 14 1/2 hands high, with white nose, no marks or brands; to be sold under the provisions of the stock law of the State of Texas, to satisfy such assessment and award, and the costs and expenses hereof. This 7th day of July, A. D. 1921.

H. C. JUSTIN,
Constable, Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, Texas. 31-21 Fr.

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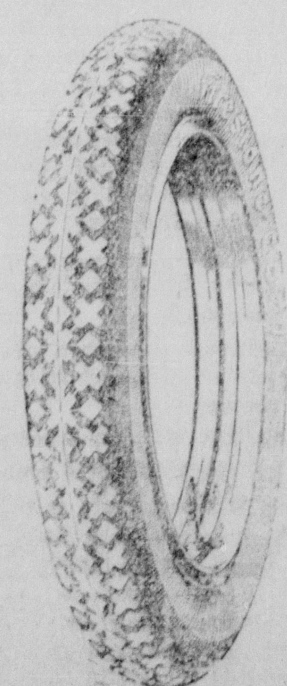
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ERRORS IN EIGHTH LOSES GAME FOR AMERICAN LEGION

Crowell Team Held Scoreless For Six Innings While Vernon Counts Once Each in First Two Times at Bat—Contest Ends Four to Two in Favor of Visitors.

Vernon's American Legion baseball team showed a very generous disposition to their visitors from Crowell Wednesday afternoon and handed them the long end of a 4 to 2 ball game.

The donation came in the eighth after Vernon had led from the first two innings. In Vernon's half of the first Ladd started the fireworks with a screaming two bagger to right field Sheppard followed with another 2 base hit to the same field, driving over the first run.

In the second inning Foster started the inning with a clean single, but was forced at second by Bridges. "Nappy" Baird came through with a hard line drive that easily scored Bridges. That was the end of Vernon's offensive work.

The score stayed 2 to 0 in Vernon's favor up to the first of the sixth when R. Boyd for the visitors singled, went to second on an error and scored on a single by McGhee. In the first of the eighth, two hits, two errors and three runs by Crowell tell a story of their own.

Baird for Vernon and J. Boyd for the visitors both pitched excellent ball and while both were hit rather freely they kept the hits scattered and very little damage was done at any one time through hard hitting.

Yesterday's game was marked with clean sportsmanship throughout, and it is hoped by local fans that it is only the beginning of a number of such contests by the local aggregation through out the remainder of the season.

Crowell	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.	
Boyd, C. e.	3 0 2 8 2 0	
Hay, ss	5 0 0 5 0 0	
Boyd, J. p	5 0 1 0 0 0	
Boyd, R. 2b	5 2 4 5 2 0	
Prater, rf	5 1 1 2 1 1	
Bell, lb	4 1 0 4 1 0	
Magee, cf	4 0 1 0 0 0	
Morgan, lf	4 0 0 1 0 0	
Aubrey, 2b	4 0 0 2 2 0	

Totals	39 4 9 27 8 1	
Vernon	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.	
Sneed, 3b	4 0 1 1 0 2	
Ladd, lb	4 1 3 15 0 0	
Sheppard, 2b	4 0 1 0 3 0	
Teel, rf	4 0 1 2 0 0	
Foster, cf	4 0 1 0 0 1	
Bridges, lf	4 1 1 0 0 0	
Carney, ss	4 0 0 3 4 0	
Curtis, c	4 0 1 6 0 0	
Baird, p	3 0 2 0 4 0	
*Davis	1 0 0 0 0 0	

Totals.....32 2 11 27 11 3

By innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Crowell.....0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 4

Vernon.....1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

*Batted for Baird in 9th.

3 base hit, C. Boyd; 2 base hits

Ladd, Sheppard and R. Boyd; Struck

out by Baird 6, Boyd 5; Base on balls,

off Baird 1. Hit by pitcher C. Boyd.

Earned runs Vernon 2, Crowell 2.

Umpires—Lisman and Tenneyson.

Miss Robbie and Donnalita Standifer

and their house-guests, Miss Helen

White and Louis Pender, went to

Wichita Falls today to spend the week-

end at the home of Miss Pender.

Is Rebuilding Home.

B. F. Keltz is rebuilding his home

on Lexington street, just north of

Maiden. The old house is being torn

down as work progresses.

Miss Louise Baird left today for

Ennis where she will visit her uncle

and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mul-

ler, for several weeks. She will spend

two days with friends in Fort Worth

as she goes through.

RESTAURANT MAN COULDN'T EAT HIS OWN FOOD

"It's pretty tough for a restaurant

man to have stomach trouble. My

customers were always telling me I

ought to eat in a good restaurant. The

fact was I couldn't eat a thing that

didn't bloat me up and no medicine or

doctors helped me. I tried everything

recommended and at last Mayer's Won-

derful Remedy, and I assure you I

didn't have to look any further. Since

taking it I have been a well man. It

is a simple, harmless preparation that

removes the catarrhal mucus from the

intestinal tract and allays the inflam-

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stomach, liver and intestinal ailments,

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THINK OF IT! 302 BOTTLES AT 27 CENTS PER QUART



There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth in exclusive boot-legging circles when Uncle Sam, doughty arbitrator of destinies and thirst, unlocked the doors of his high class bar at Los Angeles and sold his stock of fine liquor at an average of twenty-seven and a fraction cents per quart. The stuff had been seized on ships and from other sources by the Customs House officials. There were 302 bottles of the finest imported stock and it sold for \$82. What a haul it would have been for the bootlegger who could have sold it at 20 a quart. Ben Aaron, the auctioneer presided over the sale which

was the highest bidder of licensed dealers in liquor.

PEEPS INTO SHOP WINDOWS

Summer is vacation time and with it comes needs that we do not especially feel during the other months of the year. There is one's traveling luggage, for instance, unthought of by most persons until they begin hunting in the attic or the basement, or the trunk closet for a handbag, a smart trunk or a suit case that will meet the requirements of his vacation trip. He may find one that he thinks will stand the jaunt into the mountains all right, or he may uncover one or more pieces that will carry enough for the family and not be disgraceful when the visit to grandparents, aunts or cousins is made in the city; but the chances are ten to one that after his mind has been made up to get along with the old luggage and he passes Dixon's show window he will want to reconsider and try to arrange to get at least one new and shiny hand-bag, suit-case or wardrobe trunk.

Are Marked Down. There are a number of attractive pieces in this window, and the best part of it all is that at the present time, just when the majority of folks are wanting to use things of this sort, they are marked down twenty-five per cent. One trunk is shown and it is marked a little less than \$40. It is small in size and suited to the needs of a gentleman. Its color is black and the linings are of the fancy flowered variety. Several tan leather hand-bags are on display, and one silk lined black suit-case is especially attractive.

Further up the street another vacation time need strikes one in the eye.

WICHITA LETS CONTRACT FOR SIX MILES OF PAVING

Contracts for six additional miles of concrete paving, a part of the county highway system now under construction in Wichita County, were let this week by the County Commissioners, in tentative form, to be completed when minor details in connection with the awards are arranged. The contract price is \$216,316.

C. E. Zimmerman & Co. of Wichita Falls was awarded the contract for the construction of 2.84 miles leading out of Iowa Park, at a price of \$32,052 a mile, or a total of \$91,000.

The second contract was for 3.06 miles of paving, beginning at the Wilbarger County line and extending to Electra on the Electra-Vernon road. The contract as for \$125,295, or \$34,232 a mile.

Presbyterian Guild to Meet.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will meet with Miss Janie Boyle at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, July 18. Miss Susie Scott will be leader. Members present will answer roll call with the number of visits made to new comers. All are requested to be present and to bring note-books and pencils.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Small returned Wednesday to Fort Worth, after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Small.

Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Huggins, in Vernon.

This particular thing, however, is at most an essential whether one takes a trip or not, because it is as useful at home as abroad. It is nothing more or less than a window full of swimming caps at Ferguson's Drug Store. They are in various colors, some plain some with contrasting borders, some with cut-out flower trimmings and some with fringe; all are of the tight fitting make. They may be bought for only thirty-five cents, we are told by a sign that hangs just above them.

Beauty Attracts.

Going down the street a little further, past the bathing cap window, we were attracted to another display, not because it contained anything that we especially felt the need of but because it was filled with things that one usually wants rather than needs. One feels impelled to look at them because of their beauty, their gentility and the suggestion of the daintily appointed table. The window is in Leutwyler's Jewelry Store and the things on display are of silver, cut glass, nickel plate and brass.

There are nappies and baskets of cut glass, syrup pitchers, a large vase and a pair of bud vases in silver, three electric percolators and a large brass serving tray. These pieces are so varied in size and price that it seemed as we looked that most any one could be suited in window shopping for a gift at just this time; for these things are on the order of articles that one gives away and has given to her, rather than what one buys for her own use.

MANY ARE TOURING IN JULY.

Travelers Were Deterred During June By Floods In New Mexico And Colorado.

Reports to the headquarters of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway, according to the president, C. H. Walker, indicate that the tourists' travel to the mountains through the last half of July and August will be heavier than usual. Floods in New Mexico and Colorado in June temporarily checked the travel over the highway, but official reports from those sections now indicate that the entire highway is in good travel condition.

The office of the highway gives out the information that Capt. B. Strange McMahon of California has been engaged as field man, and will give his entire time to the work of the Association. Capt. McMahon organized and commanded the first motor truck convoy across the United States in 1919 and was for some time connected with the Lincoln Highway.

Kodak Finishing—New Prices.

Developing:

Rolls all sizes, each 10 cents.

Packs all sizes, each 20 cents.

Printing:

Nos. 120, 127, each 3 cents.

Nos. 116, 124, each 4 cents.

No. 122, post cards, each 5 cents.

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Tom Summerour and U. S. Davis returned yesterday from a trip to the Littlefield country in Lamb County.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness to us on the occasion of the sickness and death of our precious baby, who has gone but is not forgotten.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. REID.
Harrold, Texas.

Scholarship for Miss Alice McLarty.

Miss Alice McLarty has received a scholarship in Searritt Bible and Training School, Kansas City, Mo. She will leave here in time to enter Searritt September 15. The scholarship was awarded sometime ago by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Northwest Texas Conference.

W. M. McGaugh spent Sunday in Wichita Falls. Miss Adele Sumner returned last week-end from a trip in the East. Miss Louise Hamlin of Wichita Falls is visiting Miss Ruby Thomas.

"Young man, what do you mean to be?"

Take time—consider. You are the designer; you must select the pattern for your future. A hasty start won't hasten success. Each time you change your mind and shift your occupation you must relearn and re-earn. Until you elect a definite course, you must accept guidance.

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Some Prices for Next Week

CANNED FRUITS

Del Monte Peaches (Large)	\$3.30
Del Monte Peaches No. 2	\$2.25
Del Monte Apricots (Large)	\$2.25
Del Monte Apricots No. 2	\$2.20
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.)	\$3.35
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.)	\$3.30
Lard (Large)	\$3.35
SUGAR (Cane) 13 Pounds for	\$1.00
SUGAR (100 Pounds)	\$7.25
LARGE OATS (Any brand)	\$3.30

COFFEE

Golden Gate 2 1-2 Pounds	\$1.25
White Swan 3 Pounds	\$1.50
Maxwell House 3 Pounds	\$1.25
Bulk Coffee similar quality to above	\$3.35
BUTTER (Creamery)	\$4.40
CHEESE (Full Cream) 1 Pound	\$3.35
COMB HONEY 10 Pounds	\$2.25
Tomatoes No. 2	10c
Corn No. 2	10c

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ABOUT 1-2 MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT HAVE BEEN SHIPPED

Twenty-Five Per Cent More Grain Has Gone Out Of Oklahoma Than Was Shipped Last Year—Local Chamber of Commerce Tries Speeding Up Return Of Empties.

Approximately a half million bushels of wheat have been shipped out of Wilbarger county since the opening of the present harvest season last month. Vernon has contributed the largest quota to this amount, but Oklahoma is not far behind.

Shipments from here, according to G. H. Wheeler, local agent of the F. W. & D. C. R'y., have filled 121 cars; while 105 cars have been loaded at Oklahoma. Harold reports sixty-six cars, and Tolbert twenty-nine cars, with five cars being loaded yesterday.

A considerable amount of Wilbarger wheat goes to Chillicothe, and some to Odell. Figures are not available from either of these places. Shipments from Oklahoma are twenty carloads ahead of last year. It was impossible to get comparative figures from other stations.

Little Delay on Cars Here.

General opinion is that a larger portion of the wheat has been moved, and with remarkably little delay on account of car shortage. The agent at Tolbert reports that sixteen to twenty cars will be shipped from his station.

Harold expects to ship out fifteen carloads more.

Price paid for this grain has risen from \$1.10 to \$1.20 a bushel, which is more than was expected earlier in the season.

Ed Morrow, manager of the local chamber of commerce, returned yesterday from Austin, and reports that F. A. Leffingwell, traffic manager of the Texas Chamber of Commerce went before the Railroad Commission with officials of the Fort Worth and Denver R'y. in an effort to speed up return of grain cars, so as to prevent delay to shipments.

Movement Unusually Heavy.

It was found that because of heavy movement and slow unloading of cars at Galveston—many cars standing for ten to twelve days—the shortage in places is acute.

The situation this year has been aggravated by two causes; first, rain and cool weather retarded the development of wheat and harvest in this section came about the same time as on the Plains; second, farmers have been unusually quick to sell this year, carrying their grain to market as soon as threshed. It is estimated that within ten days practically all of the grain will be out of the hands of the farmer. Heretofore the movement has continued until September.

The Denver saw this situation, and had seventy-one cars in its yards at Wichita Falls. Other lines would not accept these because of their condition. However, the Denver repaired the cars so as to hold grain, using them on their own road.

Railroad Commission Helping.

The Railroad Commission of Texas sent a representative to Galveston in an effort to speed up unloading. This effort is being backed up by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, which has directed an inspector to go to Galveston, for the purpose of hurrying return of cars to be used in shipping grain.

It is understood, also, that the Car Service Division of the Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered the Southern Pacific, International & Great Northern, and Trinity & Brazos Valley Railroads to deliver grain cars to the Denver to relieve the car shortage. Mr. Morrow says these cars will have begun reaching the Denver Thursday, and that road should have ample cars within the next few days.

There were two more cars in Vernon Wednesday than could be loaded. These were sent on to another point.

Are Routing Tourists This Way.

"We are routing people through your city daily," is the advice received by the local chamber of commerce, from J. W. Charleville, manager of the Dallas Automobile Club, "and therefore want to co-operate with you." The Automobile Club is co-operating with Harry Locke of Los Angeles, Calif., in order to distribute more wisely his maps and charts of roads in this vicinity.

INDIAN CHIEF SEES "GREAT WHITE FATHER."



Chief Buffalo Bear, of the Sioux tribe of South Dakota, with Princess Buffalo Bear, photographed while leaving the White House after calling on the President. The Sioux chief posed for the Indian head on the well-known American nickel. With Princess Buffalo, he is seeing the sights in Washington.

CLOTHING ENTRIES ARE TO BE JUDGED

WINNER IN COUNTY CONTEST WILL GO TO A. AND M. TO COMPETE

The sets of clothing which will be entered by the nineteen Wilbarger County girls who are competing in the contest to be held here tomorrow will be judged by Mrs. O. A. Brunson, Mrs. A. C. Boger, and Mrs. Shirley Cook, who were selected by the Federated Clubs, by the following score card: 1. Suitability of article to purpose, 25 per cent; 2. Beauty and quality of design, 10 per cent; 3. Harmony of color and materials, 15 per cent; 4. Symmetry, accuracy in cutting, 20 per cent; 5. Perfection of stitches, 15 per cent; 6. Neatness of finish, 10 per cent; 7. Laundering possibilities, 5 per cent. This score card was adapted from a bulletin of the Federal Board for Vocational Education.

This winter in the county contest of tomorrow will be awarded a trip to the A. and M. Short Course which will be conducted from July 25 to 30. During the short course a State Home Demonstration Club Clothing Contest will be held. Announcement has just been received from the state home demonstration agent that the following prizes have been arranged as awards in this contest:

For complete school attire: First prize, sewing machine; second prize, blue serge Hoffer suit, pair cantilever oxfords and pair stockings; third prize, well equipped sewing basket.

For the best dress: First prize, gold brooch; second prize, sewing basket; third prize, pair shears. For best princess slip or corset cover and petticoat: First prize, pair shears; second prize, thimble; third prize, thimble. For best pair teddies, same as above.

RETURNS TO HOME IN MISSOURI

Judge J. C. Sheppard Will Visit in Fort Worth After Spending a Few Days in Vernon.

Judge J. C. Sheppard left today for Fort Worth, where he will visit friends for a few days before returning to his home in Poplar Bluff, Mo. He came Sunday to visit his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sheppard.

Judge Sheppard says the crop outlook in his section is good. Very little cotton is grown, the principal crops being corn, wheat and other cereals.

Sir Knights Meet Tonight.

Sir Knights of Vernon Commandery No. 33 meet in the basement of Methodist Church at 8 o'clock tonight. "Sir Knights, don't miss this," is the injunction of Recorder W. H. Huggins. "Do not wear uniforms."

LOCAL GUARD UNIT NEARS COMPLETION

WANT ORGANIZATION PERFECTED AND DRILL TO START NEXT WEEK.

A number of applications for membership in the local militia unit were received at the meeting of the organization last night. The meeting was held in the district court room.

Strength necessary to be able to participate in the State elimination target practice and camp at Austin from August 14 to 24, is almost assured, according to Captain Clyde Waits. However the captain and his associates are looking for a few more of the county's 100 per cent Americans in order to bring the organization up to required quota.

Boys or men over 18 years of age desiring to join should do so at once in order to receive the benefits of the ten days' camp. It is necessary to send in a complete list of members by July 25 so as to secure reservations.

Persons interested are asked to see Captain Clyde Waits, or Jay V. Russell at 900 North Main street; Elzy Youngblood at T. J. Youngblood's furniture store, Jim Bomar at Pete Baker's barber shop on the west side of the public square.

HAS 40 ACRES SWEET POTATOES

Rayland Man Brings in Sample From Field He Expects to Yield 20,000 Bushels.

Five hundred bushels to an acre is the yield which J. H. Young of Rayland expects from his sweet potato crop. Mr. Young has 40 acres, and his associates have eighty acres in sweet potatoes.

Samples from the field on exhibit at the Waggoner National Bank show tubers from six to eight inches long, and five to seven inches in circumference. The potatoes are of fine texture and smooth.

W. A. Walker went to East Texas and Arkansas, where he bought a car load of seed potatoes. Mr. Young is associated with Mr. Walker. They will build their own curing plant.

22 Weddings in June

Dan Cupid shared twenty-two innocent young couples into his net during June. July promises to break this record, however, the former may be the proverbial month of brides. During the first fifteen days in July thirteen marriage licenses have been issued by Miss Verna Lucky, county clerk.

Fargo Barn Burns.

Fire destroyed a barn belonging to W. M. Phillips of Odell Saturday night. The structure was situated on his farm near Fargo. Some hogs and a quantity of feed were consumed.

SAYS MILK SUPPLY OF VERNON IS VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY

Wichita-Veterinary Thinks Conditions in Wilbarger County More Favorable to Dairying Than Anywhere He Has Ever Seen—Finds People Interested in Tuberculin Test for Cows.

Vernon's milk supply is of the highest quality. This applies as regards healthy and food value according to Dr. J. R. E. Richardson, veterinarian, of Wichita Falls. Mr. Richardson has been testing cows for tuberculosis during the last two weeks in and around Vernon.

Two hundred animals have been treated by the veterinarian and not a single reaction has appeared. This is a high tribute, Dr. Richardson thinks to the health of animals from which Vernon's milk supply comes. It is also evidence of live interest on the part of owners in the health of their animals.

"Conditions here are ideal for dairying, and your cows are producing the highest grade of milk and butter have ever seen," Dr. Richardson told a representative of The Record. "If I had my money out of Wichita real estate I would move to Vernon and buy a dairy farm."

With land on which alfalfa never fails, an abundance of pure water, relatively mild weather conditions, and nearness to market, Dr. Richardson figures Wilbarger county should develop into one of the dairy counties in the entire Southwest. "If you had a co-operative association for encouraging the production of dairy products and helping in the marketing of milk, cream, and butter, I predict a thousand cows would be milked around Vernon regularly."

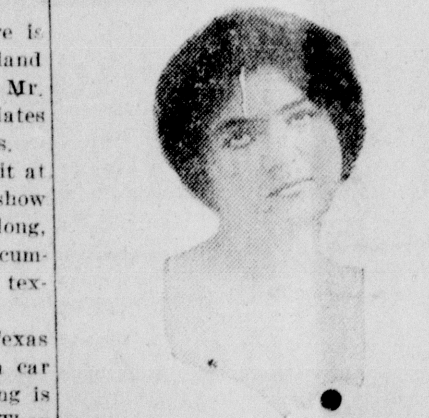
Many Cows Tested.

Cows have been tested by A. F. Hope, J. D. Ferguson, T. O. Wheeler, E. L. Vaughn, J. A. Richardson, C. C. King, Jean Keltz, J. R. Wyatt, J. W. Caldwell, L. A. Ferguson, G. A. Cayce, Andy Paschall, J. B. Smith, John Morris, Boon Martin, T. N. Baker, Mrs. R. T. Wilson, W. J. Martin, W. M. Thompson, W. M. Crutchfield, Frank Riggs, Joel Fain, W. M. Austin, A. H. Tienert, J. D. Lawson, R. V. Parr, R. B. Colley, Mrs. C. M. Latham, J. P. Burnett, R. Z. Wilbanks, J. A. Rhoads, A. P. Morris, Claid Anderson, Carl Luttrell, N. C. Fike, Hub Colley, C. H. Dahmness, Clem Rodgers, J. A. Nabers, J. T. Compton, R. J. Jordan, S. E. Gunn, J. A. Birnbaum, E. L. Smith, F. M. Rowland, I. G. Luttrell, J. A. Gilliland, A. R. Taylor, and W. B. Covert.

Certificates for the following were turned into the city hall this morning: E. P. Robertson, C. L. Rogers, J. D. R. Cooper, W. M. Bristow, A. C. Rayzor, R. B. Richardson, Mrs. Dan Coffee, J. J. Walls, S. E. Swin, L. M. Brumlett, Charles Hawley, W. M. Judd, Jno Garner, Joe Pickett, W. M. Reed, Dr. E. Barnes, O. W. Newell, Frank Baumgarten, L. E. Black, J. C. Smith, E. L. Booth, W. E. Deason, Jesse Johnson, Ben Henderson, J. J. Robinson, and Mrs. J. T. Chapman.

Mr. Farrington says, furthermore that if local farmers want an alfalfa hiller he has one of the best made—an A Birdsell No. 3, which he will sell at a much lower figure than the same machine sells for now. The hiller is in good condition, Mr. Farrington says, and has been well taken care of.

PRETTY JURORS ARE WON BY THE VAMP LAWYER, SHE SAYS



Can a handsome young lawyer of the species of the male vamps jury of women? Ask Miss Elizabeth Blume, one of the leading members of the Newark, N. J. bar—she knows. It was a dull uninteresting case she tried in the District Court of Montclair, N. J., involving the paltry sum of \$400 over an alleged breach of contract. But there were eight women on the jury, among them some of the sweetest and loveliest girls in the county. And opposed to Miss Blume was one of the handsomest attorneys in the State of New Jersey—Samuel Boardman a Beau Brummel and a Chesterfield if ever there was one. The result? Why, Miss Blume lost.

CALIFORNIA'S PRETTIEST GIRL



Miss Florence Selby, of San Francisco, who has been selected by the Knights of Columbus as the prettiest girl in the Golden Gate City. She will head a bevy of beauties who will welcome the thousands of Knights of Columbus to the International Convention in San Francisco August 2-3-4. More than 25,000 are expected to attend the convention.

CHILICOTHE MAN THRESHES ALFALFA

H. C. FARRINGTON GETS MORE PROFIT FROM SEED THAN HAY, HE SAYS.

H. C. Farrington of Chillicothe has been threshing alfalfa four years, and says he realizes more profit from the seed than the hay. Mr. Farrington noticed in The Record that agitation is being carried on to get farmers to grow a seed crop, and in a letter to the local chamber of commerce he says:

"I have made four seed crops in the last four years, and have realized more profits on my seed crops than on my hay. I expect to plant more alfalfa, and to reseed my meadow where the stand has been damaged by the last two years of wet weather."

Mr. Farrington says, furthermore that if local farmers want an alfalfa hiller he has one of the best made—an A Birdsell No. 3, which he will sell at a much lower figure than the same machine sells for now. The hiller is in good condition, Mr. Farrington says, and has been well taken care of.

UNIVERSITY RECEIVES LESS

Legislature Votes \$190,000 for New State Normal School at Nacogdoches.

An appropriation of \$1,100,000 for each of two years has been allowed the University of Texas out of the general revenue for maintenance and support, plus the use of its available fund and all fees. The amount is \$73,000 less than the estimate of the Board of Control, but the reduction is more than offset by permission to use fees and the available fund.

Without a dissenting vote, the legislature appropriated \$190,000 for the establishment of a new State Normal School at Nacogdoches, for which the State had previously been given 200 acres of finely wooded land.

Rev. S. W. Hayne to McGregor.

Rev. S. W. Hayne has accepted an invitation to conduct a revival meeting in McGregor, and will leave about July 31. He will be assisted by J. W. Splinder of Tulsa, Okla., who had charge of young people's work and conducted the singing during the recent revival in the local Methodist Church. Rev. J. J. Creed, a brother-in-law of Enford O. Brown, editor of The Record, is pastor at McGregor.

ARE URGED TO MAKE SEWER CONNECTIONS

CITY COMMISSION INSTRUCTS MAYOR TO REQUIRE OPEN PRIVIES ABANDONED.

There are 100 open privies within 200 feet of sewer lines, according to City Secretary S. H. Hall. This number is nearly a third fewer than the count would have revealed sixty days ago, the city secretary thinks.

At its meeting Tuesday night the City Commission instructed Mayor Harry Mason to take steps to see that the open privy within 200 feet of a sewer line be removed. The campaign to rid Vernon of open toilets has been carried on ever since the first sewer lines were put down. During the last three years it has been more intensive, and as a result most of the persons living in those sections where sewer lines have been down for some time have complied with the law.

In a few instances, however, the law requiring those within 200 feet of a sewer to connect with it has been flagrantly abused. One privy was found on West Wilbarger street within a few feet of the sewer. Similar cases may be found in other sections. For the most part, however, violators of the law are in the section where sewer line was laid last spring.

Other business transacted by the Commission included routine affairs.

J. R. MESSICK RETURNS.

Former Wilbarger County Man Will Live on Lester Farm After Spending Year in Tarrant County.

J. R. Messick has moved back from Fort Worth, and will farm next year on the J. W. Lester place, south of Vernon. The place is owned by S. W. McLarty. He traded Mr. Lester a ranch in Gray county for the farm.

Mr. Messick formerly lived on Fletcher Sisters' farm about six miles east of Vernon, where he specialized in Leghorn chickens and Holstein cattle. About a year ago he moved to Route 1, Fort Worth.

Drilling on Penn-Bark Resumed.

Drilling has been resumed on the Penn-Bark well two miles west of Vernon. Work was suspended some time ago. The well is about 2,100 feet deep. It will be carried at least 300 feet further down, unless oil is found or some mishap makes progress impossible.

WILL PAVE SOUTH MAIN STREET AT LEAST TO PARADISE

Mayor Is Hopeful Citizens Will Sign Up For Improvement of Thoroughfare As Originally Planned—At Work Now On West Pease And Cumberland Street Paving

South Main street will be paved at least as far as Paradise, thereby connecting all of Vernon's improved thoroughfares. Mayor Harry Mason is hopeful that the work may be extended as far south as originally planned, and which has been uncertain because of the apparent unwillingness of some property owners to sign up.

Reflection is tending to impress property owners that it will be a heavy loss if they fail to pave South Main street, the mayor believes. He reasons, furthermore, that citizens as loyal as most of those in Vernon are willing to make a genuine sacrifice for the welfare of their town—especially when it is of vital concern as regards their own property.

One Fourth Cash.

Only one-fourth of the charge is payable at this time, and the balance in one, two, and three years at 8 per cent interest. On this basis a relatively small sum is necessary to be raised at this time by any one.

Heavy hauling on South Main street during the boom last year in the Sigler field filled the roadway with holes, and it is perhaps rougher than any stretch of country road one can find.

Crews are at work on West Pease and on Cumberland street, where paving will be done between Main and Tenth on the former, and between Texas and East Pease on the latter. Most of the excavating has been done, and some gutter work put in.

A stretch of Cumberland street next to the Bailey Hotel will not be paved.

TAKE MANUAL TRAINING.

Boys of Town Organized Into Class By Gus Ramage—Girls To Get Sewing Instruction.

A manual training class for boys between the ages of 10 and 15 has been organized by Gus Ramage, pastor of the Central Christian Church, and has met every day this week in the Church basement for practical instruction and work. All boys of this age in Vernon, regardless of church membership, are eligible to enter the class, according to Mr. Ramage, to whom they may apply.

The first thing each boy made was a customer, and aside from these they have made tables for each of the Sunday School classes this week. Mr. Ramage asks those who want customers, tables, porch swings or benches to apply for them from the boys in the class.

A sewing class for girls between the age of 12 and 16 will be organized next Tuesday. This class will be in charge of Mrs. Henry Rogers and Miss Sallie Allingham who will give instruction in pattern cutting and dress making. Further information may be obtained from either of the two women in charge, it was announced today.

FORMER VERNON PEOPLE ENJOY BIG SNOW IN JULY

Eighteen inches of snow in July! Sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it? The story is an honest-to-goodness truth, although it is far removed from Vernon.

Robert Bennett writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bennett from Helena, Mont., that they have had a snow a foot and a half "deep in the mountains just 'back of his house," and a slight fall in the valley. Robert is spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. Uriel Reed, in Helena, Mont.

Thermometer Registered 105 Yesterday

The mercury climbed up to 105 degrees yesterday, according to the thermometer in front of Renfro's Hardware store on the south side of the public square. In the shade the highest temperature reported was not quite 100 degrees. Wednesday was the hottest day so far this summer.

Identification Letters for Members.

The chamber of commerce will be glad to give a letter of identification to any member who is planning a trip this summer. Such letter will likely aid in getting acquainted, and might be of value.

MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

Continuous Showing



TODAY—FRIDAY

Special Thomas Meigan
Production

"THE FRONTIER OF STARS"

(His Best Don't Miss It)

Supported by Faire Binney

Also Snub Polard in a fun-
ny comedy—"Blue Sunday"

SATURDAY—COMING

TOM MIX in "HANDS OFF"

ART ACORD—"The White
Horse Man" & Star Comedy

Thomas Meigan in "The Frontier of the Stars"

A Paramount Picture

MONDAY—FIRST NAT'L SPECIAL
POLA NIGRI the famous continental star in the Screen's
Mightiest Epic
"PASSION"

(Beautiful and Powerful, Beyond Compare)
COMING—"MAN, WOMAN AND MARRIAGE."

HALL COUNTY MAN ASKS ABOUT LAND HERE FOR ALFALFA

C. E. Spath Had Planned to Go
to Colorado Until He Read
Statement Concerning Sub-ir-
rigated Fields in Wilbarger—
May Come for Investigation.

Alfalfa growing is reputed to be one
of the most profitable of all farm ven-
tures, aside from the fact that it en-
riches the soil year after year. Along
the various river courses all over the
Middle West "alfalfa is king."

The same is true along the Peco
river in New Mexico, in various parts
of Colorado, and on the Plains of
Northwest Texas. However, irrigation
is necessary practically all over these
areas.

So that it is not surprising that when
C. E. Spath of Memphis read in State
papers a reprint of The Record's ar-
ticle about alfalfa growing in Wilbarger
county he became interested. The
article referred to states that 6,000
acres in Wilbarger county were seeded
to alfalfa last year, yielding from four
to six tons to each acre; and that dur-
ing the extremely dry period ending in
1918 numerous fields in Wilbarger
county seeded to alfalfa, produced
from three to five tons to an acre.

Would Grow Chickens.

It was stated that investigators aver
there are 25,000 acres of sub-irrigated
land in Wilbarger county which will
produce alfalfa abundantly during we
years, or dry. Attention was also cal-
led to the fact that Wilbarger county
alfalfa has been a consistent prize win-
ner in State competition, and has com-
manded a premium in price because of
its large percentage of leaf.

Mr. Spath writes from Memphis
Texas: "Please give me full particu-
lars regarding this sub-irrigated land,
he says: 'its location, and price at
which it can be bought. I want a small
place of only ten or twenty acres that
will grow alfalfa successfully without
any failures—something not too far
out, suitable for a poultry farm and
hatchery."

Prefers Texas to Colorado.

"I had arrangements made to leave
here for Colorado in search of a suit-
able location for my business, but have
decided if you can 'make good' as per
this clipping, I will run down and in-
vestigate that locality. It will suit me
much better to remain in Texas if I
can find a suitable location."

Mr. Spath asks information by re-
turn mail, and requests that real estate
men send me a list of such places, to-
gether with full information. "Please
remember," Mr. Spath repeats, "that
I am anxious for this information by
return mail, and will appreciate very
much your prompt reply, as well as
the list from real estate dealers."

Excursion Rate To St. Louis.

A special round trip summer ex-
cursion fare of \$46.20 plus a tax of \$3.70
has been made from Vernon to St.
Louis, Mo., according to word received
at the Fort Worth and Denver station
today. The sales will start today and
last until September 30 and the final
return limit is October 31. Tickets
will be good for stopover at all sta-
tions on both the going and return trip.
This is the first time that a rate has
ever been made from here to St. Louis,
according to G. H. Wheeler, local
agent.

Kodak finishing—
Good work.

Prompt service.

Courteous treatment.
Clifton Studio.

Miss Bess Herrick of Waco arrived
Monday to visit Miss Frances Hicks.

COULD BEAT HANDS SHUCKING HIS CORN

At Least J. A. White Would Bet So
After Being Relieved Of
Dyspepsia By Taulac.

"My wife and myself have had
stomach trouble," says Mr. J. A. White,
residing on the Leestown Pike, R. F. D.
No. 6, near Lexington, Ky., "and have
both been nervous and run down."

"We could not eat anything without
suffering afterwards and could not
sleep at night. We were regular ner-
vous dyspeptics. We tried many reme-
dies without permanent benefit until
we heard of Taulac. I got this medi-
cine and began using it. We noticed
immediate results. We are both great-
ly improved by Taulac. We give all
credit for the change of health to Taulac.
It is a remarkable medicine."

"I personally feel so good that I
told my hands a day or two ago that I
could beat any of them shucking corn.
I meant it and believe I could have
beat 'em all."

"Of all the maladies that afflict hu-
manity chronic dyspepsia, such as Mr.
and Mrs. White suffered from, is prob-
ably the most prevalent and hours
might be consumed in describing the
sufferings, mental and bodily, of the
victims of chronic dyspepsia."

A morbid, unreal, whimsical and
melancholy condition of the mind
aside from the nervous physical suf-
fering is the usual state of the aver-
age dyspeptic and life seems scarcely
worth the living.

Taulac, the celebrated medicine, was
designed especially for overcoming
this distressing condition and millions
of people have taken it with the most
astounding and gratifying results. It
seems to go straight to the spot, toning
up and invigorating every organ of the
body.

Taulac is sold in Vernon by Ferguson
Drug Company in Odell by R. J. Bel-
cher, in Harrold by Wilson Drug Com-
pany and leading druggists every-
where. Adv. 11

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS SOCIAL SERVICE SESSION

The Missionary Society of the Meth-
odist Church held its regular all-day
monthly meeting last Monday and con-
ducted a social service session. The
devotional services which opened the
day's meeting began with the singing
of "Rescue the Perishing" which was
followed by a scripture lesson taken
from Acts 3:1-9, led by Mrs. S. W.
Hayne. Mrs. J. H. McDonald of
Quannah, conference secretary, then in-
structed those present on the duties of
officers.

Social and lunch hours were held
from 12 to 2 o'clock, and Mrs. A. B.
Stovall's circle served the noon meal.
About fifty-five were present. The
first hour afternoon was devoted to
Bible study, conducted by Rev. S. W.
Hayne, who talked on the paring of
Paul and Barnabas and the beginning
of Paul's second missionary journey.
Mrs. Y. H. Babasin then read and dis-
cussed the Social Service Creed and
Mrs. J. McDonald gave further instruc-
tions.

Mrs. T. G. Currie was appointed
superintendent of children's work and
Mrs. A. B. Stovall was made her
assistant. They will meet every other
Friday, beginning this week, for work
with the children.

FROM RINGS ON THEIR TOES TO JEWELS ON THEIR NOSE



Princess Fatima, Sultana of Kabul,

Atghanistan, photographed on her ar-
rival in San Francisco recently from
the Orient, wearing a jewel on her
nose. The Princess is a cousin of the
Emir of Afghanistan. She is en route
to England with her three sons, who
will enter college there.

RED CROSS HINTS.

Play.

Mr. Office Worker, how many more
years have you to live?

If you are more than 35 years old
you are living longer than the law of
averages allows you.

Statistics of one of the greatest in-
surance organizations in the world
based on the mortality of thousands
of office workers show the startling
fact that American indoor workers die
at an average age of 35 years, just
when they should be in the highest
prime of their lives.

You've only one life to live and
there's lots to be gotten out of life in
happiness and accomplishment before
the last page of the chapter is turned.
Why cut your span in half?

Play more. Those two words sum
up the root of the whole problem of
virility and health for the man who
must work indoors. The average man
has at least 1400 hours a year in which
he can play. Recreation and play sets
up a barrage against disease, strength-
ens the system, makes life more worth
while.

Stop chasing the dollar after office
hours. Forget your worries in the
evenings and get out of doors. See
how it feels to throw your pole out
once more in the old swimming hole
take a plunge in the river or swimming
pools of your city; get out on the golf
links or the tennis courts, challenge
your neighbor for a game of horse
shoes, see if you still remember how to
throw a baseball, try out your batting
eye again.

There's some kind of play for every
kind of man. And play is the best
kind of insurance you can buy. It's
about the only thing that's "good for
you" that also is lots of fun.

Play hard and you'll be alive and en-
joying "business as usual" long after
the other fellow chased the dollar and
the high cost of living into the cem-
tery.

INVITATIONS ARE OUT TO HICKS-CRAIG WEDDING

Invitations are out to the wedding of
Miss Frances Hicks and M. L. Weems
Craig which will take place at 8:30
o'clock next Wednesday evening at the
home of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. E. P. Hicks.

The engagement of Miss Hicks to Mr.
Craig was announced July 5 since
which time a number of social affairs
have been given in her honor.

Mrs. S. W. Bailey, Mrs. W. D. Berry
and Mrs. L. K. Johnson drove to Wich-
ita Falls for the day yesterday.

For the convenience of the public
I have moved my hemstitching
machine into Mrs. Esther Key's
Millinery Store where I will be
glad to meet all customers.
Ten Cents a Yard Phone 283
MRS. J. D. KEY

51-9tp

Prices Down to Where They Belong

Have you noticed our prices on everything we sell. They are abso-
lutely down where they belong.
Our Fountain drinks are prepared right to suit your taste. Our Ice
Cream is absolutely pure and wholesome.
Our Homemade Candy is made with great care, and the best materi-
als that can be used.

Remember our Coca Cola 6 cents
Vanilla Ice Cream 45 Cents per quart. Cream Cones 5 cents.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE.
CANDYLAND

Liberty Cafe

Vernon's Best EATING HOUSE

QUALITY AND THE COURAGE TO BACK IT UP

True courage is neither blind nor spectacular; true courage is patient,
careful, intelligent; it holds to an ideal and lives up to it in the face of
danger and difficulty.

We have never catered to our price cutting competitors for we have
never carried anything in stock but high class merchandise; for our
customers are all of the better class, therefore nothing but quality goods
will do on our shelves.

We pride ourselves on having more friends than any other institution of
its kind in Vernon.

Thirty-two years ago this business was founded in this city and we be-
lieve it is only reasonable to state that our present business is built on
nothing else than the reliability of our goods and the fairness of our
business policy.

PARKER-DONGES GROCERY COMPANY

WANT AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP

Application for Naturalization Will Be
Acted Upon at September Term
of Court.

Seven in Wilbarger county are mak-
ing application for citizenship. One
is from Harrold, three from Oklahoma
and three from Vernon. Three come
from Moravia, two from Ireland, one
from Germany, and one from Czechoslovakia.

Jan Kajs of Harrold, Frank Tomsie
and Anton Mayer of Oklahoma were
born in Moravia, and landed in Galves-
ton. Kajs reached America sixteen
years ago. Tomsie came in 1907, and
Mayer in 1903.

Jas. J. Kozelsky of Oklahoma was
born in Czechoslovakia, and landed
in Galveston in 1886. Paul Kueschke
was born in Germany. He lives in Ver-
non, and landed in Galveston only last
September.

Robert Boyle and Janie Boyle of
Vernon were born in Cuhady, Ireland.
They landed in Philadelphia in 1889.

Girl Babies in Majority

Three girls are reported this week as
a result of visits of the stork, while that
bird only left one boy. Girls were
born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howell, three
miles north, July 8th; to Mr. and Mrs.
T. A. Brazil, of Southeast Vernon, July
12th; and to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cole-
man, Southeast Vernon, July 10. A
boy as born to Mr. and Mrs. L. W.
Welch of West Vernon, July 12.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere
appreciation to those who were so kind
to us in our recent bereavement. May
God's richest blessings be on you.

MRS. J. T. CHAPMAN and children.
1tp Adv.

Telephone Directory on Press.

The summer issue of the Vernon tele-
phone directory is on the press. In-
creased business has necessitated an
increase of the number of directories
by two hundred copies. Thirteen hun-
dred directories are being printed.

Roy D. L. Killough returned yester-
day from Boulder, Colorado, where he
spent several days with Mrs. Killough
and Josephine.

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CONTINUOUS SHOW 10:30 A. M. TO 11:30 P. M.

Fri.

WILLIAM FAIRBANKS in

"Fighting Bill"

The Most Realistic Fight Picture Ever Produced.

Also "THE GUMPS" and SELZNICK NEWS

Sat.

EUGENE O'BRIEN

"Worlds Apart"

"Thunderbolt Jack No. 1" and "Neal Hart Western"

Mon.

BETTY COMPSON

ROY STEWART and CLARA HORTON

"PRISONERS OF LOVE"

by CATHERINE HENRY

Also SELZNICK NEWS

ANNOUNCEMENT

We have the pleasure of announcing that we have made ar-
rangements to furnish Vernon car owners DIAMOND
FABRIC AND CORD TIRES.

The reason why we selected DIAMOND TIRES is because
we know they are high in quality and low in price.

There are some tires being sold here at "bargain day"
prices, but later these so-called bargains will prove mighty
expensive tire equipment. Tires of standard makes are
much cheaper in the long run. BUY A DIAMOND.

General Auto Supply Co. Tire Store

IN THE WHITE GARAGE BUILDING

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Do More
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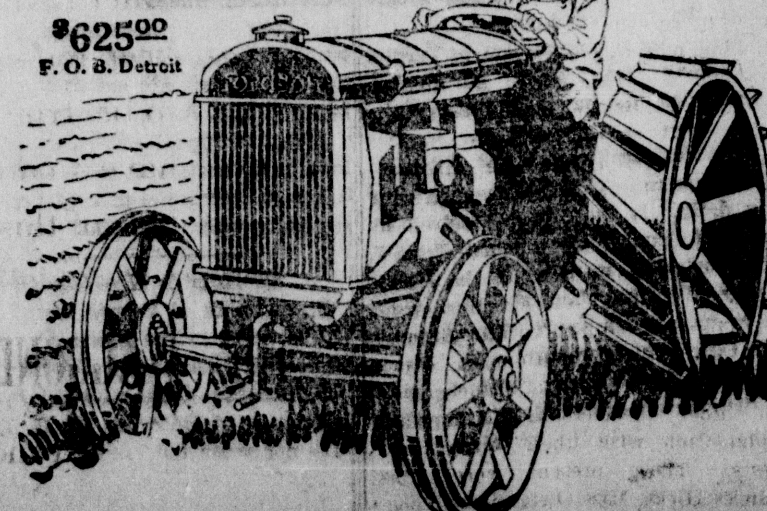
One man with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can do more
work easier and with less
expense than two men can
do with horses. This means
that you with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can actually
raise more crops, with less
work and less expense. And
this means that your profits
will be greater with fewer
hours of work.

Besides the FORDSON will take
care of every power job on the
farm. It is light, alert, flexible in
control and operation, yet it has
power and endurance to spare.

You should see the FORDSON
at work to appreciate its wonder-
ful capabilities. We will gladly
give you the proofs if you will
ask for them, either by a personal
call, phone or post card.

Napier Bros.
Motor Co.
Vernon, Texas

\$625.00
F. O. B. Detroit



IN SOCIETY

Entertains "42" Club.

Mrs. Daniel Bond entertained the Thursday "42" Club yesterday afternoon at which time the following members were present: Mesdames E. P. Hicks, Shirley Cook, A. C. Boger, T. J. Youngblood, Mart Boger, W. N. Stokes, Howard Reger, Harry Mason, F. L. Massie, N. R. Heath, C. S. McColloch, T. P. Lisman, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Wheatley, W. M. McCaleb, A. C. Rayzor and J. V. Townsend. Substitutes were Mesdames W. K. Long, Luther Webb, Bass King, Bob Ferrell and S. W. Bailey. Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Mary Anderson and Miss Bass Herrick, of Waco, presided at the punch bowl as the guests arrived. A salad course was served later in the afternoon.

Honors Two House-Guests.

Mrs. C. V. King entertained a large number of young ladies this morning in honor of her two house-guests, Miss Lorene Murphy and Miss Floy Seay of Honey Grove. Tables of "42" were arranged indoors and on the porch and both places were attractively decorated with zenias, daisies and sun-flowers. A dainty ice course made the refreshments. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. P. W. Hendrix, Mrs. Homer Rogers and Mrs. Harry Robinson. Those invited to meet Mrs. King's guests were Misses Woodie and Beryl Dixon, Doris Boger, Dorothy and Audrey Cook, Addie Thompson, Era Morris, Thelma Sherrill, Ruth and Thelma Batchelor, Johnnie Mallow, Juanita and Oleta Youngblood, Eleanor Phillips, Frances and Dorothy Hicks, Bess Herrick, Elizabeth Garner, Mary Anderson, Anna Jo Pendleton, Thelma Smith, Ina Works, Minnie King, Ethel Hanev, Leola Smith, Lily Castlebury, Lizzie Hix, Ruby Williams, Inez Robinson, Beula and Maudie Ladd, Ruby and Lizzie and Ethel Reese, Birdie Hatt, Annie and

Miss Charlie Mae North, Georgia Castlebury, Mildred Young, Mary and Nellie Blackman and Vera

Entertain With Bridge.

Mrs. Roy Martin and Mrs. Fred Thompson entertained a large number of their friends yesterday morning with a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Martin. The house was decorated for the occasion with many clusters of garden flowers of various varieties. A salad course was served the guests. Those invited were Mesdames R. B. Gibson, T. P. Lisman, Jr., C. E. Warren, Will Colley, W. M. Schindler, Harry Colley, R. H. Coffee, Howard Timberlake, E. M. Hanev, F. L. Massie, Emory Rhoads, Harry Mason, Josephine Collins, Cy Long, Joe Parker, R. B. Sherrill, M. J. Moore, Dee Norwood, J. G. Sherman, T. A. King, Hub Colley, C. V. King, W. W. Bennett, Y. H. Babasin, Roy McConihe, A. B. Garland, J. T. Glover, Bass King, E. L. Pendleton, H. K. Greever, Kelton Greever, E. C. Christian, O. A. Brunson, B. A. Williams, G. C. Kemp, H. A. Thompson, Foster Edmondson, S. W. Bailey, Della Houssels, Henry Rogers and Vida Townsend; and Misses Harriet Thomas, J. L. Murray and Venita Denny.

Give Party Yesterday.

Mrs. Myatt Napier and Mrs. Bob Ferrell honored Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Napier. Daisies, zenias and other garden flowers were used in the attractively arranged decorations. Misses Elizabeth Hicks and Martha Long poured punch for the guests as they arrived and later a salad course was served. The high score favor, a hand embroidered apron, went to Miss Bess Herrick, and the guest of honor was given a hand made pillow. Members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and their house-guests, and Mrs. E. P. Hicks were present.

Gives Party For Class.

W. N. Stokes, teacher of the Young Ladies' Class of the Baptist Sunday School, entertained the members and their husbands and gentlemen friends last night at his home. Punch was served to the guests as they arrived and later other refreshments were served. A program was given during the evening, several talks on the work and aims of the class being made.

Gives Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. S. S. Munger gave a bridge luncheon yesterday morning honoring the bride-to-be, Miss Frances Hicks. The guests were invited for 10 o'clock and after they had assembled and played four hands of bridge a four course luncheon was served. Zenias and daisies combined with pink and white made the decorations. Covers were laid for Miss Hicks' bridesmaids and other members of the Tuesday Bridge Club, with their out-of-town guests. Those present were Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Oleta Youngblood, Miss Eleanor Phillips, Miss Juanita

NEEDS AN ANNEX FOR NEWEST MEDAL



"Ha! ha!" says "Stubby," smiling, as you plainly can see by the photograph. "Maybe there's something in this dog's life they talk about, after all! General Pershing just pinned a medal on me, maybe you can't see it, because kings and others had stuck so many others on me. But it's there. Because I'm a wounded hero and everything. I'm a life member of the Y. M. C. A., with three bones a day and a place to sleep guaranteed. Pretty soft, what? That's the way "Stubby" feels about it all. "Stubby," a bull terrier, went through the World War with veterans of the One Hundred and Second Infantry, has been wounded and is the wearer of three service stripes. "Stubby's" latest medal came from the Humane Education Society and was presented by General Pershing at Washington.

Youngblood, Mrs. Walter McCaleb, Miss Adelle Sumner, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Robbie Standifer, Miss Donalita Standifer, Miss Louis Pendar, Miss Helen White, Miss Bess Herrick, Miss Dorothy Hicks, Miss Elizabeth Garner, Mrs. Clint Swartwood. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. C. S. McColloch and Mrs. Della Houssels.

Misses Youngblood Entertain.

Miss Oleta and Miss Juanita Youngblood entertained for Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge luncheon yesterday morning at their home on West Wilbarger street. Pink cannaas were used for floral decorations and the color scheme of pink and white was

carried throughout. The high score prize was won by Miss Mary Anderson and favors were given to the guest of honor and to Miss Eleanor Phillips the hostess' house-guest. Covers were laid for only the young ladies who are to be in the Hicks-Craig wedding and their house-guests.

Entertains S. S. Class.

Miss Lillie Castlebury gave a picnic supper on the lawn at her home Tuesday night for the members of the Sunshine Workers class of the Methodist Sunday School of which she is teacher. About twenty-five were present and after supper, which was served at 6:30 o'clock, games were enjoyed in the yard.

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Vernon, Texas

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who administered to the needs and brought the floral offerings in the sickness and death of our daughter and grand-daughter. May God's richest blessings rest on every one.

MR. and MRS. R. P. SMALL and family.
MR. and MRS. M. A. SMALL. 14

Mrs. Guy Ash, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Small, returned Wednesday to Decatur.

See the Trubiproof tires at Lutz & Schmoker's. Corner Texas and Franklin. 77-tfc

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We have an endless chain of money to lend on farms, in Wilbarger, Ford, Hardeman, and other Western Texas counties. Long time, and at rates, as low as can be had anywhere.

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Flavor is sealed in by toasting

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I have put on a messenger delivery service to deliver parcels, drugs, ice cream or any article—even ice if you want it delivered quickly.

You often want something from town—maybe a spool of thread, a loaf of bread, a prescription from the drug store,—it is my business to deliver it to you anywhere in the city limits promptly for

10 CENTS

For the present I will have my headquarters at the B. and W. Drug Store, phone 21. I have an automobile with which I can deliver your parcels.

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S. D. ROGERS

THIS SALE SHATTERS ALL FORMER SALES FOR VALUE-GIVING ONE-HALF OFF

on the following merchandise, all Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other standard lines of clothing, in Dixie Weaves, Mohairs and Palm Beach.

\$15.00 Palm Beach Suits now	\$ 7.50
\$17.50 Palm Beach Suits now	\$ 8.75
\$20.00 Mohair Suits now	\$10.00
\$25.00 Mohair Suits now	\$12.50
\$30.00 Mohair Suits now	\$15.00
\$35.00 Dixie Weave Suits now	\$17.50
\$37.50 Dixie Weave Suits now	\$18.75

CAP BARGAINS

Our entire cap stock of the very latest styles and models will go at—ONE HALF PRICE

\$.75 Caps	\$.37
\$ 1.00 Caps	\$.50
\$ 1.50 Caps	\$.75
\$ 2.00 Caps	\$ 1.00
\$ 2.50 Caps	\$ 1.25

TAKE NOTICE

The man who likes a nice cool hat for mid-summer wear. Our entire stock of straws, Panamas and Baliluks will go at

ONE-HALF PRICE

One lot of men's shirts that formerly sold for \$1.50 to \$2.50, now 89c

One special lot of men's shoes, which sold from \$10.00 to \$12.50, now \$5.85

Don't fail to call and see us for we have many other bargains, too many to mention. Give us a look before you buy for it is a pleasure to show you.

Dixon Dry Goods Company

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(Incorporated)

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 give old as well as new address to insure
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Obituary notices—1c a word.

Poetry—2c a word.

Always include cash when mailing read-
 ing notices.

Display advertising—Promotion, 50c a
 column inch; all other, 45c.

Foreign Advertising Representative
 THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Friday, July 15, 1921.

BAD ROADS EXPENSIVE.

The loss to Willbarger county from
 highways that are bad (to say the
 least) is hard to estimate. Every farm-
 er who goes to market pays toll of no
 inconsiderable amount. This is par-
 ticularly true when time is as valuable
 to the farmer as it is now.

Perhaps the loss to the business man
 is much less than to the farmer. That,
 however, is by no means inconsider-
 able.

Some of our roads do take the joy
 out of driving, and the reputation of
 the county as spread abroad by a
 never-ending train of tourists who pass
 back and forth intermittently, is a loss
 of no small consequence.

Nor does it repay the loss to say
 that the building of good dirt roads in
 Willbarger county is impossible. The
 Record appreciates efforts put forth
 by the county judge and commissioners
 to improve county highways. In many
 places their success has been admirable.

There are stretches of road where
 travel must be at a snail's pace. The
 surface is as hard as flint and if it
 had been smoothed following June
 rains an almost perfect road would be
 the result now.

Few culverts along the Colorado to
 the Gulf Highway between Vernon and
 Chillicothe can be taken at a speed
 within the limits fixed by law without
 danger of catapulting through the car
 top, and the necessity for laying over
 to repair broken springs. The ap-
 proaches to Pease river bridge are
 such that it is well to stop one's ears
 when the driver approaches them.

It may be possible that a lack of
 funds, or the inability to get workmen,
 or the great amount of work being
 done elsewhere is delaying these very
 important repairs. Certainly no one
 is culpably negligent. The fact re-
 mains that every man who travels is
 paying heavy toll as a result of the
 condition of our roads.

Williamson county is spending \$191,
 167.40 on a permanent highway from
 Georgetown to the Travis county line.
 Of this amount the Federal and State
 governments pay one-half.

PERMANENT SUPPORT FOR EDU-
CATION.

It is surprising that President Vin-
 son should have complained to the
 commercial executives, meeting in Aus-
 tin, that the University is forced to
 face the necessity of taking care of a
 constantly increased attendance on an
 ever decreasing unit cost. Does it not
 seem reasonable that the "unit cost,"
 or cost per student should decrease as
 the number increases—and especially
 so since the cost of everything is go-
 ing down?

Few will attempt to reason against
 President Vinson's statement that the
 State University (and other education-
 al institutions supported by the Com-
 monwealth) should have permanent
 support. Admitting that each legis-
 lature is friendly to the institutions
 and in sympathy with their ever grow-
 ing program, there is an uncertainty
 about legislative appropriations that
 practically precludes any definite and

permanent plan for our educational in-
 stitutions.

By providing a fixed rate for them,
 the task of their administrative offi-
 cers is made much easier, a compre-
 hensive plan may be laid down for growth
 and many useless expenditures (such
 as make-shifts heretofore necessary)
 may be avoided. Let the tax be 1 mill
 —more or less, as may seem wise—but
 make it permanent, and take our edu-
 cational institutions out of politics.

General Dawes knowledge of music,
 it is to be hoped, will enable him to
 compose his latest masterpiece—The
 Budget Blues—with just enough jazz
 to make it take in the National Capital.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMEND-
MENTS.

Tuesday's editorial should have re-
 ceived the Secretary of State re-
 ceives \$2,000 a year. It is proposed to
 increase the compensation to \$5,000 a
 year. This is the pay it is proposed to
 attach to the officers of Treasurer,
 Comptroller, and Land Commissioner.

The amendment would fix the salary
 of Governor at \$8,000 a year and that
 of the Attorney General at \$7,500.
 This increase would mean an addition-
 al tax of only one-half cent on the man
 who pays on an assessed valuation of
 \$1,000, or 5c on \$10,000.

Amendment No. 3 would increase the
 assessment for Confederate pensions
 from 5 cents to 7 cents on the \$100.
 The increase is a trifle. It will serve
 to make more comfortable the last
 days of those veterans who have suf-
 fered so many privations, and whose
 number is rapidly diminishing.

Amendment No. 4 would increase the
 pay of legislators to \$10 a day for a
 session of 120 days and not to exceed
 \$5 a day thereafter. On the other
 hand it would reduce by half the pres-
 ent mileage allowance of not to exceed
 \$5 for each 25 miles.

It is certain that governmental of-
 fices should never pay well enough to
 cause them to be sought for the sal-
 aries attached. Few will gainsay the
 statement, however, that the pay
 should be enough to enable those who
 fill them to support, to a reasonable
 degree at least, the dignity of the of-
 fice.

The fifth amendment provides that
 only native-born or naturalized citizens
 may vote; that a husband may pay the
 poll tax of his wife, or a wife that of
 her husband, and that the legislature
 may authorize absentee voting. As
 the law now is a foreigner may vote
 as soon as he declares his intention of
 becoming a citizen.

If American citizenship is worth
 having, surely it is reasonable to ask
 that a foreigner wait until he becomes
 a citizen before he is given the privi-
 lege of voting. This, of all the amend-
 ments, is perhaps most important.

Putting the first last—Amendment
 No. 1 proposes to abolish the Board of
 Prison Commissioners established by
 Section 58 of Article XVI. Through
 error this is described on the ballot as
 amendment to Section 58 of "Article
 XVII." It is doubtful of this error
 does not make illegal the amendment,
 even if it should be adopted. So that,
 without going into the merits of the
 question, any vote on Amendment No.
 1 will perhaps be equivalent to a nega-
 tive.

Surely Texans will vote "Yes" on
 Amendments 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Building good roads when Uncle Sam
 and the State of Texas will pay half
 the bill surely seems letting the other
 fellow "set 'em up" before the Volstead
 law went into effect.

GET YOUR SHARE?

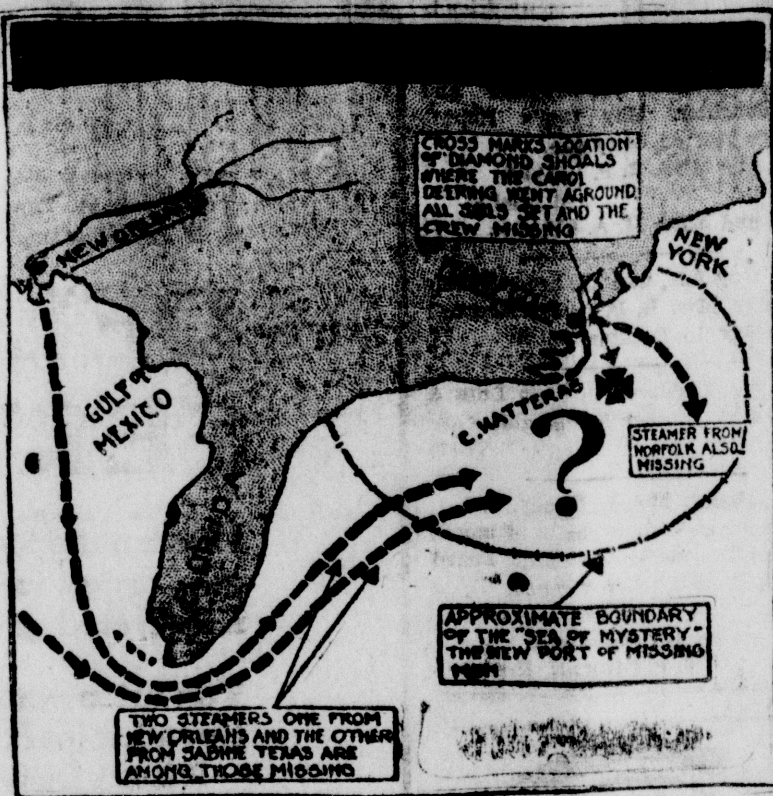
Five hundred thousand gallons of
 water a day is the average consump-
 tion in Vernon, according to City En-
 gineer A. J. Robinson. On the basis of
 5,143 people (figures given by the
 United States census), this is an av-
 erage of only little less than a hundred
 gallons for each person.

Do you get your share?

Of course, the water is an item of ex-
 pense, and the use of 100 gallons for
 each member of a large family would
 mean considerable at the end of the
 month. Without a lawn and flowers
 such quantity of water is not at all
 necessary.

It is a source of gratification that
 Vernon home-owners are interested in

THE "SEA OF MYSTERY."



The seven seas are being searched by ships of the U. S. Navy in the hope
 of finding some trace of the twelve or more vessels which mysteriously disap-
 peared. Government officials in discussing the case hinted at piracy of the
 kind that harks back to the days of Captain Kidd. One theory is that bootleg-
 gers are using the craft in liquor running in the South. The map shows where
 the Carroll A. Deering is believed to have gone down, while the question mark
 takes in the territory of the mid-Atlantic seaboard, where other ships are
 thought to have disappeared.

lawns and flowers. These things speak
 eloquently of the citizenship of the
 community. They also have a direct
 and considerable bearing upon the
 character of our men and women of to-
 morrow.

The fact that Vernon has a water
 supply ample for such demands is also
 gratifying. Water, well kept lawns
 and flower gardens are all consider-
 able assets to any community.

Maybe American society girls are
 merely fighting the dress goods trust
 when they "make up" their faces and
 wear so few dry goods.

Open Column.

Brace Up.

If life seems unkind and pleasures are
 few—
 And the grey of the cloud hides all
 trace of blue—

You wonder why, of millions of men,
 Fate should have picked you—Ah, then
 It is time to brace up—to say, with a
 grin,

"I'll fight once again—and fight to
 win"
 With duty as umpire let us do our
 best—

If true to ourselves we will weather
 the test—
 Only a coward gives up in despair—
 The brave will ever the burden bear.

So brace up! and fight! and say, with
 a grin,

"I'm here to the finish!"—then go in
 and win!

N. E. C.

The Next Governor of Texas.

In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram of
 the 13th inst., I notice the following
 on page sixteen: "What promises to be
 an open breach between the Governor
 and members of the Legislature at the
 coming special session was foreshadowed
 late Tuesday, when over half a
 dozen members of both branches, who
 are also members of the House and
 Senate appropriation committees
 made public a statement "that we will
 not support Governor Neff's program
 for an increased burden on the people
 of Texas by seeking new sources of
 revenue." The same article further
 says: "The statement declares that
 "one must come to the conclusion that
 the Governor of this great state went
 before the people of Texas without
 correct information, and innocently
 misstated facts, or must come to the
 conclusion that for some reason, un-
 known to the people of Texas, he went
 before them and misstated facts."

In an editorial of the same issue, the
 following: "One passage of Governor
 Neff's Corsicana speech ought not to
 be permitted to go unchallenged. He
 said: "I vetoed \$6,000,000 of the special
 appropriations the Legislature made.
 That was about all I could veto with-
 out crippling the service. I got into
 trouble, too. I came near to dividing
 the State. I'll tell you things were
 looking pretty serious for a while.
 They held an indignation meeting and
 said they wouldn't live in a State that
 had such a man for Governor."

"This editorial further states that
 Governor Neff knows that these in-
 dignation meetings were held, not be-
 cause of the veto of \$6,000,000, but
 rather because of his veto of the West
 Texas Agricultural and Mechanical
 College bill.

I go on record as being opposed to
 the division of our State and believe
 this is the sentiment of at least 75 per
 cent of our people, but there does seem

to be something wrong in the ma-
 chinery of our state government. From
 my view point we have not had a
 governor of Texas for years who was
 at all satisfactory. It seems the men
 of the Reagan, Ross, Hogg or Roberts
 type have not been brought out for this
 great office in this state for years. I
 ask in all sincerity, "Why should not
 Willbarger county, yes, Vernon, furn-
 ish the next governor?" I believe that
 the man I have in mind would carry
 every precinct in West Texas and can
 be elected if he will only make the
 race. I believe also that no man can
 afford to refuse when the people de-
 mand that he give them his service as
 a state official. This gentleman is a
 scholar, a man of rare ability, of ripe
 experience and one who would I be-
 lieve restore the State to its standard
 of bygone statesmanship. I refer to
 the Hon. W. D. Berry. Who will
 second the nomination?

B. F. HOLCOMB.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Byars left yes-
 terday for a visit in Lockney and
 Plainview, on the South Plains. A
 brother of Mr. Byars lives in Floyd
 county.

Kodak finishing—the kind you want
 at the price you want to pay. Clifton
 Studio. Itc

J. N. Mann of Roswell, N. M., has
 been visiting his brother, Frank Mann,
 assistant postmaster. The former gen-
 tleman formerly owned the City Bak-
 ery, and moved from Vernon to Mem-
 phis.

Bring your kodak films to the Clif-
 ton Studio for satisfactory results.
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Never trouble, trouble till trouble
 troubles you. Then go to Lutz &
 Schmoker's and get a set of Troubleproof
 tires for your car, then your tire trou-
 bles will be over. 77-tfe

D. ESTES

For Goodrich over-size,
 30x3 1-2 for . . . \$16.00
 Firestone 30x3 1-2 non-
 skid, \$13.95, the lowest
 price standard tire on the
 market to-day.

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 the morning before the
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 piano if I do not put it in first class
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 Tuning, Voicing, Tone-Regulating,
 Cleaning, Repairing, Bellows recover-
 ed, Action adjustment. All work
 guaranteed.

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To good base ball players who come to us and play on our team
 we will make a SPECIAL rate on all life scholarships. Position
 guaranteed when course is completed. Scholarship good in any
 Draughon's Business College throughout the country.

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 Course and play ball. Write for catalogue and full information. Can
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Hundreds of pairs of shoes. Strap Oxfords and Pumps are thrown
 into this great Money Saving Sale. Every pair of shoes and slippers
 have been greatly reduced (except the "Glove Grip" Oxfords for
 women.) In fact, with few exceptions, we can not replace this foot-
 wear for the prices now asked. We are not only placing our cheapest
 slippers and shoes, but we are including all of our highest grades and
 styles. If you have delayed buying your nice foot-wear—don't delay
 longer—they will go quickly.

A Few Extra Specials

1 Lot Pumps and low
 heel Oxfords . . . \$1.00

1 Lot Black Kid Cu-
 ban heel . . . \$1.85

1 Lot Pumps (last years
 price) \$9 to \$12 about
 50 pairs, choice . . \$1.85

1 Lot Pumps and Ox-
 fords . . . \$2.85

1 Lot Oxfords . . . \$3.85 1 Lot Oxfords . . . \$4.85

All Hose reduced in price for this Sale—
 Please don't ask us to charge goods at sale prices.

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Our Greatest July Sale Has Begun

FRIDAY THIS STORE STARTED ITS GREAT JULY SALES. They being saving opportunities which have not been possible for years. These sales renowned for years as opportunities for economical buying, now present the highest quality apparel at prices below those of many months past. We're expecting the whole country to come to this great money saving sale. Come prepared to carry many bargains home with you.

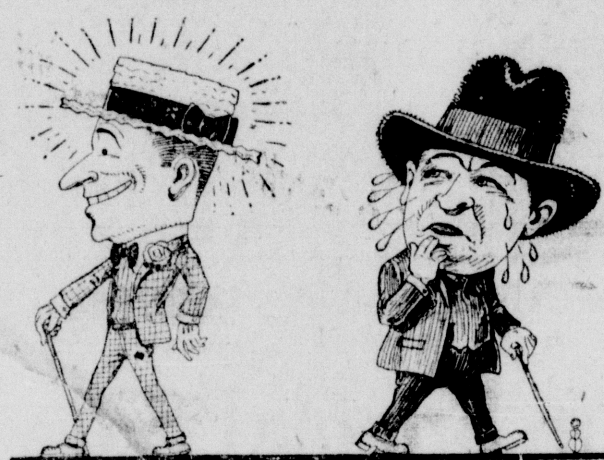
We will exchange merchandise or refund your money on any purchase not satisfactory.



Our salespeople will do their best to see that you get what you are looking for. Prompt and efficient service.

All Stetson Hats, Men, at One-Third Off.

All \$9.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	\$ 6.00
All \$10.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	6.65
All \$12.50 Stetson Hats reduced to	8.35
All \$15.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	10.00



Get Under One of These Half Price Straw Hats and Smile

Our entire stock of Straws will go quickly at HALF PRICE. Not an old one in the lot.

Men's \$3.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	\$1.75
Men's \$5.00 Straw Hats reduced to only	2.50
Men's \$6.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.25
Men's \$7.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.75
Men's \$8.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	4.25

We Continue Our \$4.95 and \$6.95 Odd Pants Values. More Than 300 New Pairs Just Received.

Pants values up to \$8.50 for	\$4.95
Pants values, up to \$12.50 for	6.95

Sizes 28 to 50 Waist.

"The Best Shirt Values I've Seen in Years."

That's the usual expression of the men who have seen these shirts. They're better patterns, better cloths and better made than any shirts we've seen in many seasons. Here's the way we're selling them.

\$1.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	\$.98
\$2.00 Dress Shirts reduced to	1.35
\$2.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	1.65
\$3.50 and \$3.00 Dress Shirts	1.95
\$4.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	2.95



Boys' Odd Pants Reduced.

All Boys' \$1.50 Pants reduced to	\$.98
All Boys' \$2.00 Pants reduced to	1.45
All Boys' \$2.50 Pants reduced to	1.95
All Boys' \$3.00 Pants reduced to	2.35
All Boys' \$3.50 Pants reduced to	2.85

All Men's Ties Reduced.

55c Ties reduced to only	\$.35
75c Ties reduced to only	.49
95c Ties reduced to only	.69
\$1.50 Ties reduced to only	1.15
\$2.50 Ties reduced to only	1.85

All Tennis Shoes and Slippers at Half Price.

All \$1.50 Tennis Shoes and Slippers	\$.75
All \$2.00 Tennis Shoes for	1.00
All \$2.50 Keds for only	1.25
All \$3.00 Keds for only	1.50
All \$3.50 Keds for only	1.75

Men's Work Gloves at Bargain Prices.

All Men's \$1.50 Work Gloves only	1.00
All Men's \$2.00 Work Gloves only	1.65
All Men's \$2.50 Work Gloves only	1.85
All Men's \$3.00 Work Gloves only	2.35
All Men's \$3.50 Work Gloves only	2.85
Men's Canvas Gloves, with leather palms	.25
Men's plain Canvas Gloves, 3 pair for	.25

SALE IS IN FULL BLAST

Please do not ask us to charge goods at these prices.

Every Man's Suit in Our Entire Stock Will Surely Move at These Prices

You men who know the kind of clothes we sell know that no better values are to be had in the whole country at our regular price. With these drastic reductions from our already low prices, we know you will not be slow in taking advantage of this unusual opportunity.

Here's the Way They Go! Men.

All \$15.00 Men's Suits reduced to	\$10.00
All \$19.50 Men's Suits reduced to	13.00
All \$24.50 Men's Suits reduced to	16.35
All \$29.50 Men's Suits reduced to	19.65
All \$34.50 Men's Suits reduced to	23.00
All \$39.50 Men's Suits reduced to	26.35
All \$44.50 Men's Suits reduced to	29.65

Take Advantage of This Event to Buy the Boys a New Suit.

One lot of Boys' Palm Beach Suits at only	\$ 1.95
Boys' \$5.00 Woolen Suits reduced to	3.35
Boys' \$7.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	4.95
Boys' \$9.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	6.95
Boys' \$12.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	8.95
Boys' \$15.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	9.85
Boys' \$19.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	12.85

All Boys' Wash Suits Half Price.

Half price on our Wash Suits means that you can buy the suits for less than the cost of the material. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Boys' \$2.00 Wash Suits reduced to	\$1.00
Boys' \$2.50 Wash Suits reduced to	1.25
Boys' \$3.00 Wash Suits reduced to	1.50
Boys' \$3.50 Wash Suits reduced to	1.75

Men! Here Are Some Hot Ones—Don't Overlook a Single One.

Men's best grade Blue Overalls and Jumpers, in all sizes, per garment	\$1.15
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 6 to 15 years	.65
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 29 to 31 waist	.75
Men's \$2.00 Khaki Pants, 29 to 31 waist	1.45
Men's \$2.50 Khaki Pants, 30 to 44 waist, for	1.95
Men's Derrick Blue Work Shirts, 14 to 20, for	.75
Men's \$1.50 Khaki Shirts, 14 to 17 1-2 at	1.15
Men's 15c Sox in all colors, for only	.09
Men's Red and Blue Bandana Handkerchiefs	.09
Men's large size Harvest Hats for only	.25
Men's Lee Union-Alls, khaki color, 34 to 48, at	2.95
Men's Union-Alls, khaki color, 2 to 7 years	1.25
Boys' Union-Alls, khaki color, 8 to 11 years	1.45
Boys' Union-Alls, khaki color, 12 to 16 years	1.75
Men's Paris Single Grip Garters	.25
Men's Paris Double Grip Garters	.35
Men's 10c White Handkerchiefs	.07
Men's 15c White Handkerchiefs	.10
Men's 25c White Handkerchiefs	.15
Men's 35c White Handkerchiefs at	.19
Men's 50c Belts for only	.35
Men's 75c Belts for only	.50
Men's \$1.00 Belts for only	.75
Men's \$1.50 Belts for only	1.00
Men's \$1.75 Belts for only	1.35
Men's \$2.50 Belts for only	1.65
Men's Sterling Silver Initial Belt Buckles at	.39c, 79c and \$1.15

Every Garment of Men's Summer Underwear Will Be Sold at Substantial Reductions.

All Men's 75c Underwear for	\$.49
All Men's \$1.00 Underwear for	.85
All Men's \$1.50 Underwear for	1.19
All Men's \$2.00 Underwear for	1.45

Extra Special Cut on Boys' Union Suits.

Choice of all Boys' 75c and \$1.00 Union Suits during this sale at only 49 Cents

All sizes 6 to 16 years. These prices are lower than pre-war times.



Men's Low Cut Shoes at One-Third Off Our Already Low Prices.

Men's \$10.00 Stacy-Adams Low Cuts reduced to	\$6.65
Men's \$9.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	6.00
Men's \$8.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.35
Men's \$7.50 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.00

All Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes Greatly Reduced for Quick Selling.

All \$1.50 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	\$1.15
All \$1.75 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.35
All \$2.00 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.65
All \$2.50 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.95
All \$3.00 Women's and Children's Low Shoes for	2.35
All \$3.50 Women's and Children's Low Shoes for	2.85
All \$4.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.25
All \$4.50 Women's Low Shoes for	3.65
All \$5.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.85
All \$7.50 Women's Low Shoes for	5.85

All Men's and Boys' High Shoes Lowered for This Occasion.

Men's Stacy-Adams Shoes for only	\$10.85
Men's Packard \$10.00 Shoes for only	7.95
Men's Packard \$8.50 Shoes for	6.95
Men's Star Brand \$9.00 Shoes for only	7.45
Men's Star Brand \$8.50 Shoes for only	6.95
All Men's \$7.50 Shoes on sale for only	5.95
All Men's \$7.00 Shoes on sale for only	5.45
All Men's \$6.00 Shoes on sale for only	4.85
All Men's \$5.00 Shoes on sale for only	3.95
All Men's \$4.00 Shoes on sale for only	2.95
All Men's \$3.50 Shoes on sale at only	2.65
All Boys' \$5.00 Shoes on sale at only	3.95
All Boys' \$4.00 Shoes on sale at only	2.95
All Boys' \$3.50 Shoes on sale at only	2.65

Men's and Boys' Caps Priced for a Quick Clearance.

All 75c Caps for	\$.49
All \$1.00 Caps for	.75
All \$1.50 Caps for	.98
All \$2.00 Caps for	1.35
All \$2.50 Caps for	1.65
All \$3.00 and \$3.50 Caps for	\$1.95



Every Pair of Men's Sox in the House Reduced.

All Men's 15c Sox reduced to only	9c
All Men's 25c Sox reduced to	19c
All Men's 40c Sox reduced to	29c
All Men's 75c Sox reduced to	59c
All Men's 80c Sox reduced to	.65c
All Men's \$1.00 Sox reduced to	.75c
All Men's \$1.50 Sox reduced to	.98c

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VERNON, TEXAS

CHILDREN STRIVE TO GAIN WEIGHT IN NUTRITION CLASS

Red Cross Nurse and Home Demonstration Agents Have Interested Little Folks In Working or Number of Pounds Which They Should Have—Advocate Sleep and Milk.

The mothers of fifteen of the sixty children who were found to be in the underweight danger zone when they were examined at the Child Welfare Conference held here early in the summer, are now co-operating with the county Red Cross nurse and home demonstration agents in an effort to make these little folks normal. The second meeting of the nutrition class was held yesterday morning when this number were present, and three mothers came with their children.

The little tots themselves are vitally interested in the matter of gaining the few extra pounds that they need to make them measure up to the standard weight; and they are working to get their record cards decorated with red blue and gold stars. The only child to win a gold star yesterday because he had gained a half pound in the week since the previous meeting of the class, hopped down off the scales happier than did any of the others. His smiling face unmistakably indicated that he was as proud of that half pound as he would have been of a half dollar.

Get Star for Sleeping.

The children are given blue stars if they report twelve hours of sleep each night and an hour's rest each afternoon for a period of a week; and a red star goes on the card if they learn to eat a new food that has been recommended to them in class.

The nutrition class meets every Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and lasts for about an hour. The children are first given a short talk or lesson on matters of health and then they play for a few minutes before they are served with wholesome refreshments. Yesterday morning Miss Rose Ellmann, Public Health nurse, talked to them on the care of the teeth. They were shown the right kind of tooth brushes to use and the proper way to brush with them. They were urged to sleep the amount required to gain a blue star and to drink at least three glasses of milk a day.

Ice Cream And Graham Crackers.

They were given ice cream and graham crackers for their lunch at 11 o'clock.

On the first meeting day of the class there were twenty-two children present but all of them did not return yesterday. It is very important, Miss Ellmann says, that they be present every week because they forget the lessons taught them unless they attend regularly and have the health principles repeated to them. It is also desired to keep complete records of the progress the little folks make during the three months that the class will be conducted.

The mothers are as welcome at these meetings as are the children. Miss Edith Lacy said yesterday. In fact they are urged to attend. On some days talks will be made to them as well as the children.

Fargo News

Fargo, July 14.—By special correspondence.—Most of the farmers of the community are busy breaking their wheat land for another crop. A light rain now would be greatly appreciated. Miss Edna Hyde of Altus, Okla., who has been visiting Miss Mae Crisp the past two months, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Smith of Vernon spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Greene.

Charlie and Frank Mason, Bryan Huchingson, "Dutch" Price, Titus and Howard Holland, Elmer Owen and Wikie Harrison left Monday for the Plains to work on the wheat harvest. They went through in Mason Brothers trucks.

Little Miss Inez Norred is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Hays Carrell of Lockett.

Mrs. Johnny Miller of near Sherwood is visiting Mrs. D. L. Lovelace this week.

Several from the community attended the all day singing at White City Sunday.

Thelma Greene has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Packer expects to leave Monday for Dallas to visit Mrs. Packer's parents. They will be gone about thirty days.

Bro. Pearson of Odell will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and night and will be singing there in the afternoon.

ORDERS OF TEMPLE GIVEN IN SEYMOUR

MEMBERS OF VERNON COMMANDERY SPENT DAY IN NEIGHBORING CITY WEDNESDAY

NO. 2—ORDERS OF TEMPLE—

Orders of the Temple were conferred on twelve candidates of the Seymour Commandery Wednesday. A delegation from Vernon spent the day there in this work, and report a great deal of interest in the Baylor county metropolis in Masonry.

Those who went to Seymour were: Sir L. G. Hawkins, Rt. Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas; W. D. Berry, J. M. Napier, E. L. Witty, A. P. McCole, L. E. Kester, R. H. Bratton, N. B. Hodge, H. W. Norwood, J. W. Leak, J. C. Lewellen, S. E. Porterfield, B. H. Lewis, and T. J. Youngblood. The Vernon delegation were guests of the Seymour Chamber of Commerce at luncheon Wednesday noon.

The road between Vernon and Seymour is in fine condition according to those who made the trip. They insist that Vernon and Seymour people should visit more often, thereby getting better acquainted.

Recipe For Canning Beans.

This is the month for bean canning, according to the home demonstration agents. Those who have not had the opportunity, through the medium of the club, to see demonstrations in this particular culinary art may find the following recipe of help.

The Refugee bean is a good variety for canning. The beans should be tender and fresh. When the beans with in the pod have grown to any size canning is more difficult and the product of poorer quality from a commercial standpoint. For canning, only well sorted, small, tender beans should be used.

String the beans and cut them into two inch lengths; cutting diagonally or "on the bias" gives a pretty product. In glass they may be canned whole, packed log cabin fashion in square jars. Blanch three to eight minutes or until the pod will bend without breaking, and plunge into cold water for an instant. Drain well, pack quickly, and cover with brine. When the beans are young and tender, process pints two hours continually at boiling temperature, or, if more mature beans are packed, process intermittently. Process quarts intermittently, or forty-five minutes under ten pounds steam, at a temperature of 240 degrees.

Lima beans are treated as peas, adding sugar and seasoning instead of brine. This seasoning is added when the jar is half packed with beans. When the jar is filled with beans, cover them with clear water, paddle to remove air bubbles, and process as for peas.

Home-Made Candy Market.

The Willing Workers Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School will have a home-made candy market in Mallow and Minarik's Meat Market Saturday afternoon. Come and buy from us. 52-2c Adv.

See us for money on farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

J. D. Key went Wednesday to Burk Burnett.

We are again prepared to do your kodak finishing. Clifton Studio. 1tc

R. C. and Hubert Thompson left Tuesday in their truck for the Plains, where they go to work in the harvest.

J. D. Morris and Charles Blackwood have returned from the Plains, where they went to work in the harvest. They were north of Goodnight.

See the Trubieproof Tires at J. E. Lutz's office, corner Texas and Fannin streets. 63-tf

George B. Zachry of White Produce Company returned yesterday from Memphis, Childress, and other points on the Denver, where the company has houses.

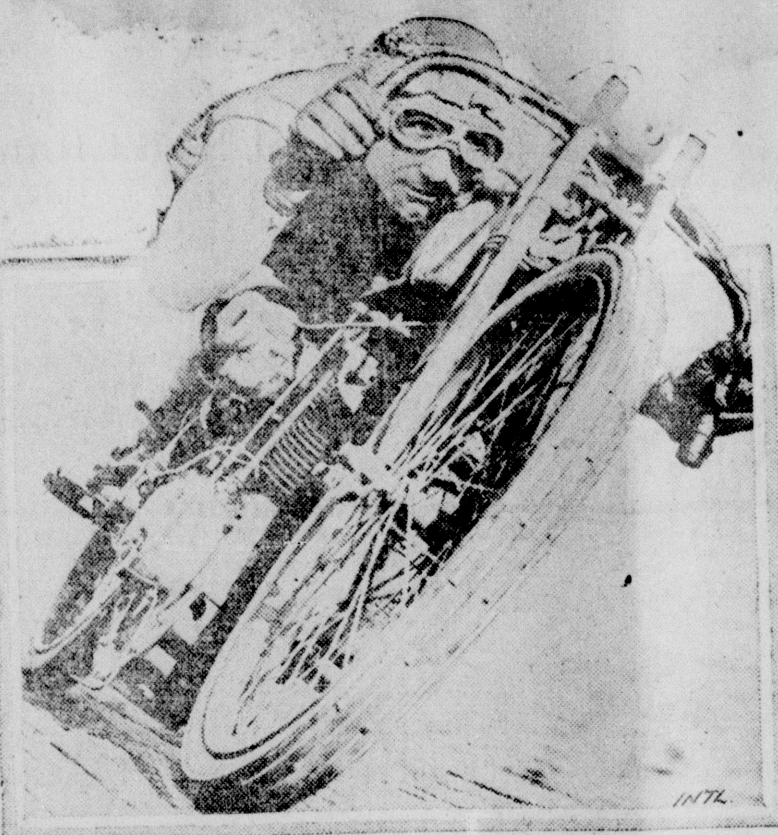
O-U Money. We have plenty to loan on improved farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

L. E. Piper, cashier of the Waggoner National Bank, is spending ten days in San Antonio. Mrs. Piper, Miss Dorothy, and Mrs. Piper's father are also in San Antonio.

Money to loan on improved farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

A. Allison is on the South Plains looking after his farms. Mrs. Allison accompanied him to their farms in Oklahoma, and returned home from

CAMERA BEATS MOTORCYCLE.



Speed photographs with absolute clarity of detail such as this one are rare. In fact, for motorcycle racers to attain a speed of 112 miles an hour thus surpassing the speed of the fastest racing cars and trains is a feat never accomplished until attained by Fred Ludlow, shown in the photo. The picture was made at the new Beverly Hills Speedway in Los Angeles during this record breaking event. As evidence of the advance in speed photography, this picture is quite as interesting as Ludlow's feat.

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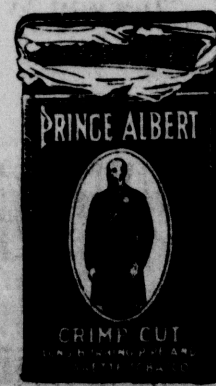
Get the joy that's due you!

We print it right here that if you don't know the "feel" and the friendship of a joy'us jimmy pipe—GO GET ONE! And—get some Prince Albert and bang a howdy-do on the big smoke-gong!

For, Prince Albert's quality—flavor—coolness—fragrance—is in a class of its own! You never tasted such tobacco! Why—figure out what it alone means to your tongue and temper when we tell you that Prince Albert can't bite, can't parch! Our exclusive patented process fixes that!

Prince Albert is a revelation in a makin's cigarette! My, but how that delightful flavor makes a dent! And, how it does answer that hankering! Prince Albert rolls easy and stays put because it is crimped cut. And, say—oh, go on and get the papers or a pipe! Do it right now!

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FORMER ARMY MAN HIGHWAY DIRECTOR

CAPTAIN McMAHAN ORGANIZED FIRST MOTOR TRUCK TRANS- PORT ACROSS CONTINENT

Captain B. Strange McMahan has been appointed Field Director of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway. This is in accordance with plans outlined by the directors at their last annual meeting.

"Captain McMahan has had a great amount of highway experience," says a letter from President C. H. Walker of Dalhart, "and enters upon his work with the proper vision of the possibilities of this great interstate highway. We doubt not that in due course of time it will be recognized as one of the great major highways throughout the United States."

Captain McMahan organized and commanded the first motor truck transport across the United States in 1919 and has been commended many times by the War Department for his success in this undertaking. He was associated with the Lincoln Highway Association, and is familiar with plans and methods of other great highway organizations.

In order to finance an organization and publicity campaign it is proposed to offer individual membership all along the route of road uniformly from Galveston and Brownsville to Denver with a durable enameled marker.

Plans of the directors call for a prospectus of the highway, with sectional strip maps that will give tourists all necessary information. It is also proposed to see that the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway is recognized by all map makers. A bi-weekly bulletin is also planned, which will give important information as to condition of roads and weather.

One of the purposes of this bulletin is to encourage all-year tourist travel. People of the Northwest will be encouraged to spend their winters on the Gulf coast, just as Texans are now spending their summers in the mountains.

Entertains With Lawn Party.

Miss Ruth Sewell entertained with a lawn party last night complimentary to Miss Virginia Lomax of Sherman and Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday who are visiting in Vernon. Out-door games were enjoyed, and punch, ice cream and cake were served. Those invited were Misses Mattie Mae Renfro, Merle Brunson, Mildred Robinson, Katherine McCulloch, Katherine Wheatley, Katherine Dodson, Eva Katherine Rayzor, Jewell Hicks, Iris Young, Ellen Castleberry, Christine Keltz, Sue Hiett, Leta Williams, Virginia Creath, Irene Spears, Margaret Rouse, Gladys Thompson, Martha Long, Adele Housels, Elizabeth Hicks, Lennice Bonner, Hazel McElroy, Frances Murchison, Virginia Sewell and Frances Kemp; and Messrs. Guy Norwood, Mery Staley, Theron Staley, Buel Cooper, Curtis Piger, Granville Dawson, Robert Sherrill, Robert Wright, Robert Stokes, Robert More, Frank Massie, Wayne Greene, A. C. Beger, Herman Abbott, James Reger, James Renfro, Harlow Rouse, Henry Rogers, E. M. Leutwyler, Jr., Aubrey Huddleston, Bertram Lisman, Nolan Backus, Leil Buchanan, Buddy Rogers and Paul Wilhelm.

Case Is Tried On Special Issues.

The case of Richie, Key & Eagan vs. Haskell, suit on commission, was tried yesterday in the County Court. It went to a jury on special issues. Judge E. L. McHugh has not yet rendered judgment on the findings of the jury.

Vernon to Have Messenger Service.

S. D. Rogers is establishing a messenger service in Vernon. For the present headquarters will be in the B. & W. Drug Company. Mr. Rogers comes to Vernon from Temple, and is a brother of F. L. Rogers, who is with the Southwestern Telephone Company. A charge of 10c is made for delivery of any article.

Miss M. Louise Collins of Dixon Dry Goods Company left Tuesday on an extended buying trip to St. Louis, Chicago and New York. Miss Collins went direct to her home in Oskawoska, Iowa, to visit her mother before beginning her buying trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Storey have gone from Galveston to South America, according to a letter received by J. A. Storey. They write that they will return by way of Yucatan and Mexico and will be back in about five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher are expected home today. Since their wedding in Gatesville, July 5, the county superintendent and his bride have been on a honeymoon trip through Central Texas.

Miss Lizzie Seals has returned from a two weeks visit in Wichita Falls and Archer City.

W. K. Long went to Memphis on business Wednesday.

FIRST PHOTO OF INTERNATIONAL POLO MATCHES WON BY AMERICANS.



The above photo, which gives a wonderful idea of the speed of the game, shows a sharp tussle in front of the Americans' goal. The Yankee players won both matches, which decided the international championship.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—2,500 bushels of ear corn, C. P. Hamilton, 8 miles east of Odell, 53-30p.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, furniture and rugs, Corner Wanderer and Violet, 53-2tp.

FOR TRADE—18 eighteen model Buick touring car to trade for Ford truck, T. C. Young, South Violet Street, 52-3tp.

FOR SALE—At Tolbert, Texas, 8 head of work stock consisting of horses and mares weighing from 1,000 to 14,000 pounds. Will sell on terms until October. H. M. Brown, 44-10tp.

PREVENT SPRING BUG TROUBLES—Feed Martin's Blue Bug Remedy to chickens for blue bugs and other insects. Guaranteed. For sale by Baker Bros. Drug Store, 25-10tp.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms, Phone 263, 52-2tp.

FOR RENT—Light house-keeping rooms, Mrs. J. D. Key, Phone 201, 52-2tp.

FOR RENT—Modern light house-keeping rooms, close in, Call J. W. Johnson, Sam Novitz's grocery, 52-3tp.

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LOST—Brown leather grip between Chris Schaefer's farm and fairgrounds—contained pair boots, ladies and child's wearing apparel. Return to Record for reward. E. N. Fowler, 1tp.

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WANTED—A partner, man or woman, active or silent in a clear, growing business. Must have one thousand dollars. Address Box 159, Vernon, Texas, 52-2tp.

No. 1094
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FIRST GUARANTY STATE BANK of Vernon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral, \$76,169.05
Bonds and Stocks—Customers' Liberty Bonds, 150.00
Real Estate (banking house), 2,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures, 2,000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand, 33,989.87
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 687.58
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 671.18

TOTAL, \$115,967.58
LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock paid in, \$10,000.00
Surplus Fund, 10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net, 574.80
Individual Deposits, subject to check, 85,735.43
Time Certificates of Deposit, 2,465.80
Cashier's Checks, 1,521.63
Bills Payable and Rediscounts, 5,000.00
Bonds Deposited—Customers' Liberty Bonds, 150.00

TOTAL, \$115,967.58
State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: We, C. A. Allingham, as president, and Roscoe Rainwater, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. A. ALLINGHAM, President.
ROS COE RAINWATER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, A. D. 1921.
J. T. GOSSETT,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:
J. W. RAINWATER,
MILES RAINWATER,
OTTO STEHLIK, Directors.

No. 672
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FARMERS STATE BANK of Vernon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral, \$345,717.73
Loans, real estate, 28,742.88
Warrants (City), 3,000.00
Real Estate (banking house), 15,430.61
Furniture and Fixtures, 2,698.35
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand, 115,987.20
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 4,587.73
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 4,981.04
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, 3,028.22
Other resources, 10,977.00

TOTAL, \$534,202.26
LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock paid in, \$100,000.00
Surplus Fund, 50,000.00
Undivided Profits, net, 12,017.93
Individual Deposits, subject to check, 326,211.67
Time Certificates of Deposit, 41,338.25
Cashier's Checks, 1,644.65

TOTAL, \$534,202.26
State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: We, H. H. Rhoads, as president, and R. B. Gibson, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. H. RHOADS, President.
R. B. GIBSON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of July, A. D. 1921.
J. A. STOREY,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:
EMORY RHOADS,
F. L. MASSIE,
A. M. BOYLAND, Directors.

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Stock Law Sale.

By virtue of an assessment and award of damages and fees duly filed in the office of the Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. One of Wilbarger County, Texas, I will proceed and sell, as under execution, hereof, the following described impounded stock, viz: One bay mare about 7 years old, about 16 hands high, had on a halter when impounded, no marks or brands; one dark brown horse mule, about 7 years old, about 11 1/2 hands high, with white nose, no marks or brands; to be sold under the provisions of the stock law of the State of Texas, to satisfy such assessment and award, and the costs and expenses hereof. This 7th day of July, A. D. 1921.

H. C. JUSTIN,
Constable, Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, Texas. 51-2tp.

Wants Carload of Alfalfa.

J. W. Neilson of Lancaster, Texas has written the local chamber of commerce, asking information about alfalfa hay. "Will you please hand this letter to some reliable farmer who can load me a car of choice alfalfa hay and have him quote me price f. o. b. Vernon?" is Mr. Neilson's request.

Miss Gladys Powers of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McCulloch and family and Mrs. William Denny.

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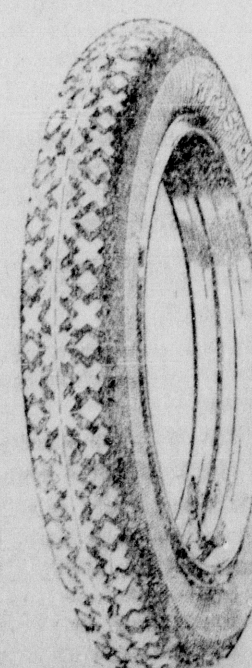
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Tire repair men, who judge values best, class these tires as having the sturdiest carcass made. Forty-seven high-grade car manufacturers use them as standard equipment. They are the quality choice of cord users.

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All materials used are the best obtainable. The quality is uniform. It is the best fabric tire ever offered to the car owner at any price.

ERRORS IN EIGHTH LOSES GAME FOR AMERICAN LEGION

Crowell Team Held Scoreless For Six Innings While Vernon Counts Once Each in First Two Times at Bat—Contest Ends Four to Two in Favor of Visitors.

Vernon's American Legion baseball team showed a very generous disposition to their visitors from Crowell Wednesday afternoon and handed them the long end of a 4 to 2 ball game.

The donation came in the eighth after Vernon had led from the first two innings. In Vernon's half of the first Ladd started the fireworks with a screaming two bagger to right field Sheppard followed with another 2 base hit to the same field, driving over the first run.

In the second inning Foster started the inning with a clean single, but was forced at second by Bridges. "Nappy" Baird came through with a hard line drive that easily scored Bridges. That was the end of Vernon's offensive work.

The score stayed 2 to 0 in Vernon's favor up to the first of the sixth when R. Boyd for the visitors singled, went to second on an error and scored on a single by McGhee. In the first of the eighth, two hits, two errors and three runs by Crowell tell a story of their own.

Baird for Vernon and J. Boyd for the visitors both pitched excellent ball, and while both were hit rather freely they kept the hits scattered and very little damage was done at any one time through hard hitting.

Yesterday's game was marked with clean sportsmanship throughout, and it is hoped by local fans that it is only the beginning of a number of such contests by the local aggregation through out the remainder of the season.

Crowell	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Boyd, C. e.	3 0 2 8 2 0
Hay, ss	5 0 0 5 0 0
Boyd, J. p	5 0 1 0 0 0
Boyd, R. 2b	5 2 4 5 2 0
Prater, rf	5 1 1 2 1 1
Bell, lf	4 1 0 4 1 0
Maggee, cf	4 0 1 0 0 0
Morgan, lf	4 0 0 1 0 0
Aubrey, 3b	4 0 0 2 2 0
Totals	39 4 9 27 8 1
Vernon	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Sneed, 3b	4 0 1 1 0 2
Ladd, 1b	4 1 3 15 0 0
Sheppard, 2b	4 0 1 0 3 0
Teel, rf	4 0 1 2 0 0
Foster, cf	4 0 1 0 0 1
Bridges, lf	4 1 1 0 0 0
Carney, ss	4 0 0 3 4 0
Curtis, c	4 0 1 6 0 0
Baird, p	3 0 2 0 4 0
*Davis	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	32 2 11 27 11 3

By innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Crowell 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 4
Vernon 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

*Batted for Baird in 9th.
3 base hit, C. Boyd; 2 base hits Ladd, Sheppard and R. Boyd; Struck out by Baird 6, Boyd 5; Base on balls, off Baird 1. Hit by pitcher C. Boyd. Earned runs Vernon 2, Crowell 2.
Umpires—Lisman and Tenyson.

Miss Robbie and Donalita Standifer and their house-guests, Miss Helen White and Louis Pender, went to Wichita Falls today to spend the week-end at the home of Miss Pender.

Is Rebuilding Home.
B. F. Keltz is rebuilding his home on Lexington street, just north of Malden. The old house is being torn down as work progresses.

Miss Louise Baird left today for Ennis, where she will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Muller, for several weeks. She will spend two days with friends in Fort Worth as she goes through.

RESTAURANT MAN COULDN'T EAT HIS OWN FOOD

"It's pretty tough for a restaurant man to have stomach trouble. My customers were always telling me I ought to eat in a good restaurant. The fact was I couldn't eat a thing that didn't bloat me up and no medicine or doctors helped me. I tried everything recommended and at last May's Wonderful Remedy, and I assure you I didn't have to look any further. Since taking it I have been a well man. It is a simple, harmless preparation that cures the catarrhal mucus from the stomach tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will cure or money refunded.

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THINK OF IT! 302 BOTTLES AT 27 CENTS PER QUART



There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth in exclusive boot-legging circles when Uncle Sam, doughty arbitrator of destinies and thirst, unlocked the doors of his high class bar at Los Angeles and sold his stock of fine liquor at an average of twenty-seven and a fraction cents per quart. The stuff had been seized on ships and from other sources by the Custom House officials. There were 302 bottles of the finest imported stock and it sold for \$82. What a haul it would have been for the bootlegger who could have sold it at 20 a quart. Ben Aaron, the auctioneer presided over the sale which went to the highest bidder of licensed dealers in liquor.

PEEPS INTO SHOP WINDOWS

Summer is vacation time and with it comes needs that we do not especially feel during the other months of the year. There is one's traveling luggage, for instance, unthought of by most persons until they begin hunting in the attic or the basement or the trunk closet for a handbag, a smart trunk or a suit case that will meet the requirements of his vacation trip. He may find one that he thinks will stand the jaunt into the mountains all right, or he may uncover one or more pieces that will carry enough for the family and not be disgraceful when the visit to grandparents, aunts or cousins is made in the city; but the chances are ten to one that after his mind has been made up to get along with the old luggage and he passes Dixon's show window he will want to reconsider and try to arrange to get at least one new and shiny hand-bag, suit-case or wardrobe trunk.

Are Marked Down.

There are a number of attractive pieces in this window, and the best part of it all is that at the present time, just when the majority of folks are wanting to use things of this sort they are marked down twenty-five per cent. One trunk is shown and it is marked a little less than \$40. It is small in size and suited to the needs of a gentleman. Its color is black and the linings are of the fancy flowered variety. Several tan leather hand-bags are on display, and one silk lined black suit-case is especially attractive.

Further up the street another vacation time need strikes one in the eye.

WICHITA LETS CONTRACT FOR SIX MILES OF PAVING

Contracts for six additional miles of concrete paving, a part of the county highway system now under construction in Wichita County, were let this week by the County Commissioners, in tentative form, to be completed when minor details in connection with the awards are arranged. The contract price is \$216,316.

C. E. Zimmerman & Co. of Wichita Falls was awarded the contract for the construction of 2.84 miles leading out of Iowa Park, at a price of \$82,052 a mile, or a total of \$891,000.

The second contract was for 3.06 miles of paving, beginning at the Wilbarger County line and extending to Electra on the Electra-Vernon road. The contract is for \$125,295, or \$34,232 a mile.

Presbyterian Guild to Meet.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will meet with Miss Jamie Boyle at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, July 18. Miss Susie Scott will be leader. Members present will answer roll call with the number of visits made to new comers. All are requested to be present and to bring note-books and pencils.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Small returned Wednesday to Fort Worth after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Small.

Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Huggins, in Vernon.

MANY ARE TOURING IN JULY.

Travelers Were Deterred During June By Floods In New Mexico And Colorado.

Reports to the headquarters of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway, according to the president, C. H. Walker, indicate that the tourist travel to the mountains through the last half of July and August will be heavier than usual. Floods in New Mexico and Colorado in June temporarily checked the travel over the highway, but official reports from those sections now indicate that the entire highway is in good travel condition.

The office of the highway gives out the information that Capt. B. Strange McMahan of California has been engaged as field man, and will give his entire time to the work of the Association. Capt. McMahan organized and commanded the first motor truck convoy across the United States in 1919 and was for some time connected with the Lincoln Highway.

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Tom Summerour and U. S. Davis returned yesterday from a trip to the Littlefield country in Lamb County.

Care of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness to us on the occasion of the sickness and death of our precious baby, who has gone but is not forgotten.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. REID,
Harrold, Texas.

Scholarship for Miss Alice McLarty.

Miss Alice McLarty has received a scholarship in Searritt Bible and Training School, Kansas City, Mo. She will leave here in time to enter Searritt September 15. The scholarship was awarded sometime ago by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Northwest Texas Conference.

W. M. McGaugh spent Sunday in Wichita Falls.

Miss Adele Sumner returned last week-end from a trip in the East.

Miss Louise Hamilton of Wichita Falls is visiting Miss Ruby Thomas.

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Some Prices for Next Week

CANNED FRUITS

Del Monte Peaches (Large)	\$.30
Del Monte Peaches No. 2	\$.25
Del Monte Apricots (Large)	\$.25
Del Monte Apricots No. 2	\$.20
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.)	\$.35
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.)	\$.30
Lard (Large)	\$.35
SUGAR (Cane) 13 Pounds for	\$1.00
SUGAR (100 Pounds)	\$7.25
LARGE OATS (Any brand)	\$.30

COFFEE

Golden Gate 2 1-2 Pounds	\$1.25
White Swan 3 Pounds	\$1.50
Maxwell House 3 Pounds	\$1.25
Bulk Coffee similar quality to above	\$35
BUTTER (Creamery)	\$.40
CHEESE (Full Cream) 1 Pound	\$.35
COMB HONEY 10 Pounds	\$2.25
Tomatoes No. 2	10c
Corn No. 2	10c

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We are selling it practically at cost but we can not expect your kerosene business for you can get it elsewhere for less than cost.

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ABOUT 1-2 MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT HAVE BEEN SHIPPED

Twenty-Five Per Cent More Grain Has Gone Out Of Oklahoma Than Was Shipped Last Year—Local Chamber of Commerce Tries Speeding Up Return of Empties.

Approximately a half million bushels of wheat have been shipped out of Wilbarger county since the opening of the present harvest season last month. Vernon has contributed the largest quota to this amount, but Oklahoma is not far behind.

Shipments from here, according to G. H. Wheeler, local agent of the F. W. & D. C. Ry., have filled 121 cars; while 105 cars have been loaded at Oklahoma. Harrold reports sixty-six cars, and Tolbert twenty-nine cars with five cars being loaded yesterday.

A considerable amount of Wilbarger wheat goes to Chillicothe, and some to Odell. Figures are not available from either of these places. Shipments from Oklahoma are twenty carloads ahead of last year. It was impossible to get comparative figures from other states.

Little Delay on Cars Here.

General opinion is that a larger portion of the wheat has been moved, and with remarkably little delay on account of shortage. The agent at Tolbert reports that sixteen to twenty cars will be shipped from his place.

Harrold expects to ship out fifteen carloads more.

Price paid for this grain has risen from \$1.10 to \$1.20 a bushel, which is more than was expected early in the season.

Ed Morrow, manager of the local chamber of commerce, returned yesterday from Austin, and reports that F. A. Leffingwell, traffic manager of the Texas Chamber of Commerce went before the Railroad Commission with officials of the Fort Worth and Denver R'y., in an effort to speed up return of grain cars, so as to prevent delay to shipments.

Movement Unusually Heavy.

It was found that because of heavy movement and slow unloading of cars at Galveston—many cars standing for ten to twelve days—the shortage in places is acute.

The situation this year has been aggravated by two causes: first, rain and cool weather retarded the development of wheat and harvest in this section came about the same time as on the Plains; second, farmers have been unusually quick to sell this year, carrying their grain to market as soon as threshed. It is estimated that within ten days practically all of the grain will be out of the hands of the farmer. Heretofore the movement has continued until September.

The Denver saw this situation, and had seventy-one cars in its yards at Wichita Falls. Other lines would not accept these because of their condition. However, the Denver repaired the cars so as to hold grain, using them on their own road.

Railroad Commission Helping.

The Railroad Commission of Texas sent a representative to Galveston in an effort to speed up unloading. This effort is being backed up by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, which has directed an inspector to go to Galveston, for the purpose of hurrying return of cars to be used in shipping grain.

It is understood, also, that the Car Service Division of the Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered the Southern Pacific, International & Great Northern, and Trinity & Brazos Valley Railroads to deliver grain cars to the Denver to relieve the car shortage. Mr. Morrow says these cars will have begun reaching the Denver Thursday, and that road should have ample cars within the next few days.

There were two more cars in Vernon Wednesday than could be loaded. These were sent on to another point.

Are Routing Tourists This Way.

"We are routing people through your city daily," is the advice received by the local chamber of commerce, from J. W. Charleville, manager of the Dallas Automobile Club, "and therefore want to co-operate with you." The Automobile Club is co-operating with Harry Locke of Los Angeles, Calif., in order to distribute more wisely his maps and charts of roads in this vicinity.

INDIAN CHIEF SEES "GREAT WHITE FATHER."



Chief Buffalo Bear, of the Sioux tribe of South Dakota, with Princess Buffalo Bear, photographed while leaving the White House after calling on the President. The Sioux chief posed for the Indian head on the well-known American nickel. With Princess Buffalo, he is seeing the sights in Washington.

CLOTHING ENTRIES ARE TO BE JUDGED

WINNER IN COUNTY CONTEST WILL GO TO A. AND M. TO COMPETE

The sets of clothing which will be entered by the nineteen Wilbarger County girls who are competing in the contest to be held here tomorrow will be judged by Mrs. O. A. Brunson, Mrs. A. C. Boger, and Mrs. Shirley Cook, who were selected by the Federated Clubs, by the following score card: 1. Suitability of article to purpose, 25 per cent; 2. Beauty and quality of design, 10 per cent; 3. Harmony of color and materials, 15 per cent; 4. Symmetry, accuracy in cutting, 20 per cent; 5. Perfection of stitches, 15 per cent; 6. Neatness of finish, 10 per cent; 7. Laundering possibilities, 5 per cent. This score card was adapted from a bulletin of the Federal Board for Vocational Education.

This winter in the county contest of tomorrow will be awarded a trip to the A. and M. Short Course which will be conducted from July 25 to 30. During the short course a State Home Demonstration Club Clothing Contest will held. Announcement has just been received from the state home demonstration agent that the following prizes have been arranged as awards in this contest:

For complete school attire: First prize, sewing machine; second prize, blue serge frock suit, pair cantilevered cuffs and pair stockings; third prize, well equipped sewing basket. For the best dress: First prize, gold brooch; second prize, sewing basket; third prize, pair shears. For best princess slip or corset cover and petticoat: First prize, pair shears; second prize, thimble; third prize, thimble. For best pair teddies, same as above.

RETURNS TO HOME IN MISSOURI

Judge J. C. Sheppard Will Visit in Fort Worth After Spending a Few Days in Vernon.

Judge J. C. Sheppard left today for Fort Worth, where he will visit friends for a few days before returning to his home in Poplar Bluff, Mo. He came Sunday to visit his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sheppard.

Judge Sheppard says the crop outlook in his section is good. Very little cotton is grown, the principal crops being corn, wheat and other cereals.

Sir Knights Meet Tonight.

Sir Knights of Vernon Commandery No. 33 meet in the basement of the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock tonight. "Sir Knights, don't miss this," is the injunction of Recorder W. H. Hugins. "Do not wear uniforms."

LOCAL GUARD UNIT NEARS COMPLETION

WANT ORGANIZATION PERFECTED AND DRILL TO START NEXT WEEK.

A number of applications for membership in the local militia unit were received at the smoker of the organization last night. The meeting was held in the district court room.

Strength necessary to be able to participate in the State elimination target practice and camp at Austin from August 14 to 24, is almost assured, according to Captain Clyde Watts. However the captain and his associates are looking for a few more of the county's 100 per cent Americans in order to bring the organization up to required quota.

Boys or men over 18 years of age desiring to join should do so at once in order to receive the benefits of the ten days' camp. It is necessary to send in a complete list of members by July 25 so as to secure reservations.

Persons interested are asked to see Captain Clyde Watts, or Jay V. Russell at 909 North Main street; Elzy Youngblood at T. J. Youngblood's furniture store, Jim Bomar at Pete Baker's barber shop on the west side of the public square.

HAS 40 ACRES SWEET POTATOES

Rayland Man Brings in Sample From Field He Expects to Yield 20,000 Bushels.

Five hundred bushels to an acre is the yield which J. H. Young of Rayland expects from his sweet potato crop. Mr. Young has 40 acres, and his associates have eighty acres in sweet potatoes. Samples from the field on exhibit at the Waggoner National Bank show tubers from six to eight inches long, and five to seven inches in circumference. The potatoes are of fine texture and smooth.

W. A. Walker went to East Texas and Arkansas, where he bought a car load of seed potatoes. Mr. Young is associated with Mr. Walker. They will build their own curing plant.

22 Weddings in June

Dan Cupid snared twenty-two innocent young couples into his net during June. July promises to break this record, however, the former may be the proverbial month of brides. During the first fifteen days in July thirteen marriage licenses have been issued by Miss Verna Lucky, county clerk.

Fargo Barn Burns.

Fire destroyed a barn belonging to W. M. Phillips of Odell Saturday night. The structure was situated on his farm near Fargo. Some hogs and a quantity of feed were consumed.

SAYS MILK SUPPLY OF VERNON IS VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY

Wichita Veterinary Thinks Conditions in Wilbarger County More Favorable to Dairying Than Anywhere He Has Ever Seen—Finds People Interested in Tuberculin Test for Cows.

Vernon's milk supply is of the highest quality. This applies as regards healthy and food value, according to Dr. J. R. E. Richardson, veterinarian, of Wichita Falls. Mr. Richardson has been testing cows for tuberculosis during the last two weeks in and around Vernon.

Two hundred animals have been treated by the veterinarian and not a single reaction has appeared. This is a high tribute, Dr. Richardson thinks, to the health of animals from which Vernon's milk supply comes. It is also evidence of live interest on the part of owners in the health of their animals.

"Conditions here are ideal for dairying, and your cows are producing the highest grade of milk and butter have even seen," Dr. Richardson told a representative of The Record. "If I had my money out of Wichita real estate I would move to Vernon and buy a dairy farm."

With land on which alfalfa never fails, an abundance of pure water, relatively mild weather conditions, and nearness to market, Dr. Richardson figures Wilbarger county should develop into one of the dairy counties in the entire Southwest. "If you had a co-operative association for encouraging the production of dairy products and helping in the marketing of milk, cream, and butter, I predict a thousand cows would be milked around Vernon regularly."

Many Cows Tested.

Cows have been tested for A. F. Hope, J. D. Ferguson, T. O. Wheeler, E. L. Vaughn, J. A. Richardson, C. C. King, Jean Keltz, J. R. Wyatt, J. W. Caldwell, L. A. Ferguson, G. A. Cayce, Andy Paschall, J. B. Smith, John Morris, Boon Martin, T. N. Baker, Mrs. R. T. Wilson, W. J. Martin, W. M. Thompson, W. M. Crutchfield, Frank Riggs, Joel Fain, W. M. Austin, A. H. Tienert, J. D. Lawson, R. V. Parr, R. B. Colley, Mrs. C. M. Latham, J. P. Burnett, R. Z. Wilbanks, J. A. Rhoads, A. P. Morris, Claud Anderson, Carl Luttrell, E. C. Eike, Hub Colley, C. H. Dubuasso, Clem Rodgers, J. A. Naters, J. T. Compton, R. J. Jordan, S. E. Gunn, J. A. Birnbaum, E. L. Smith, E. M. Rowland, L. G. Luttrell, J. A. Gihland, A. R. Taylor, and W. B. Covert.

Certificates for the following were turned into the city hall this morning: E. P. Robertson, C. L. Rogers, J. D. R. Cooper, W. M. Bristow, A. C. Rayzor, R. B. Richardson, Mrs. Dan Coffee, J. J. Walls, S. E. Swain, L. M. Brundett, Charles Hawley, W. M. Judd, Jno. Garner, Joe Pickett, W. M. Reed, Dr. E. Barnes, O. W. Newell, Frank Baumgarten, L. E. Black, J. C. Smith, E. L. Booth, W. E. Benson, Jesse Johnson, Ben Henderson, J. J. Robinson, and Mrs. J. T. Chapman.

PRETTY JURORS ARE WON BY HEAVY LAWYER, SHE SAYS



Can a handsome young lawyer of the species of the male vixen a jury of women? Ask Miss Elizabeth Blume, one of the leading members of the Newark, N. J. bar—she knows. It was a dull uninteresting case she tried in the District Court of Montclair, N. J., involving the paltry sum of \$400 over an alleged breach of contract. But there were eight women on the jury, among them some of the sweetest and loveliest girls in the county. And opposed to Miss Blume was one of the handsomest attorneys in the State of New Jersey—Samuel Boardman a Beau Brummel and a Chesterfield if ever there was one. The result? Why, Miss Blume lost.

CALIFORNIA'S PRETTIEST GIRL



Miss Florence Selby, of San Francisco, who has been selected by the Knights of Columbus as the prettiest girl in the Golden Gate City. She will head a bevy of beauties who will welcome the thousands of Knights of Columbus to the International Convention in San Francisco August 23-4. More than 25,000 are expected to attend the convention.

CHILICOTHE MAN THRESHES ALFALFA

H. C. FARRINGTON GETS MORE PROFIT FROM SEED THAN HAY, HE SAYS.

H. C. Farrington of Chillicothe has been threshing alfalfa four years, and says he realizes more profit from the seed than the hay. Mr. Farrington noticed in The Record that agitation is being carried on to get farmers to grow a seed crop, and in a letter to the local chamber of commerce he says:

"I have made four seed crops in the last four years, and have realized more profits on my seed crops than on my hay. I expect to plant more alfalfa, and to reseed my meadow where the stand has been damaged by the last two years of wet weather."

Mr. Farrington says, furthermore, that if local farmers want an alfalfa hatter he has one of the best made—an A Birdsell No. 3, which he will sell at a much lower figure than the same machine sells for now. The hatter is in good condition, Mr. Farrington says, and has been well taken care of.

UNIVERSITY RECEIVES LESS

Legislature Votes \$190,000 for New State Normal School at Nacogdoches.

An appropriation of \$190,000 for each of two years has been allowed the University of Texas out of the general revenue for maintenance and support, plus the use of its available fund and all fees. The amount is \$73,000 less than the estimate of the Board of Control, but the reduction is more than offset by permission to use fees and the available fund.

Without a dissenting vote, the legislature appropriated \$190,000 for the establishment of a new State Normal School at Nacogdoches, for which the State had previously been given 200 acres of finely wooded land.

Rev. S. W. Hayne to McGregor.

Rev. S. W. Hayne has accepted an invitation to conduct a revival meeting in McGregor, and will leave about July 31. He will be assisted by J. W. Spindler of Tulsa, Okla., who had charge of young people's work and conducted the singing during the recent revival in the local Methodist Church. Rev. J. J. Creed, a brother-in-law of Buford O. Brown, editor of The Record, is pastor at McGregor.

ARE URGED TO MAKE SEWER CONNECTIONS

CITY COMMISSION INSTRUCTS MAYOR TO REQUIRE OPEN PRIVIES ABANDONED.

There are 100 open privies within 200 feet of sewer lines, according to City Secretary S. H. Hall. This number is nearly a third fewer than the count would have revealed sixty days ago, the city secretary thinks.

At its meeting Tuesday night the City Commission instructed Mayor Harry Mason to take steps to see that the open privy within 200 feet of a sewer line be removed. The campaign to rid Vernon of open toilets has been carried on ever since the first sewer lines were put down. During the last three years it has been more intensive, and as a result most of the persons living in those sections where sewer lines have been down for some time have complied with the law.

In a few instances, however, the law requiring those within 200 feet of a sewer to connect with it has been flagrantly abused. One privy was found on West Wilbarger street within a few feet of the sewer. Similar cases may be found in other sections. For the most part, however, violators of the law are in the section where sewer line was laid last spring.

Other business transacted by the Commission included routine affairs.

J. R. MESSICK RETURNS.

Former Wilbarger County Man Will Live On Lester Farm After Spending Year In Tarrant County.

J. R. Messick has moved back from Fort Worth, and will farm next year on the J. W. Lester place, south of Vernon. The place is owned by S. W. McLary. He traded Mr. Lester a ranch in Gray county for the farm.

Mr. Messick formerly lived on Fletcher Sisters' farm about six miles east of Vernon, where he specialized in Leghorn chickens and Holstein cattle. About a year ago he moved to Route 1, Fort Worth.

Drilling on Penn-Burk Resumed.

Drilling has been resumed on the Penn-Burk well two miles west of Vernon. Work was suspended some time ago. The well is about 2,100 feet deep. It will be carried at least 300 feet further down, unless oil is found or some mishap makes progress impossible.

WILL PAVE SOUTH MAIN STREET AT LEAST TO PARADISE

Mayor Is Hopeful Citizens Will Sign Up For Improvement of Thoroughfare As Originally Planned—At Work Now On West Pease And Cumberland Street Paving

South Main street will be paved at least as far as Paradise, thereby connecting all of Vernon's improved thoroughfares. Mayor Harry Mason is hopeful that the work may be extended as far south as originally planned, and which has been uncertain because of the apparent unwillingness of some property owners to sign up.

Reflection is tending to impress property owners that it will be a heavy loss if they fail to pave South Main street, the mayor believes. He reasons, furthermore, that citizens as loyal as most of those in Vernon are willing to make a genuine sacrifice for the welfare of their town—especially when it is of vital concern as regards their own property.

One Fourth Cash.

Only one fourth of the charge is payable at this time, and the balance in one, two, and three years at 8 per cent interest. On this basis a relatively small sum is necessary to be raised at this time by any one.

Heavy hauling on South Main street during the boom last year in the Sigler field filled the roadway with holes, and it is perhaps rougher than any stretch of country road one can find.

Crews are at work on West Pease and on Cumberland street, where paving will be done between Main and Pannin on the former and between Texas and East Pease on the latter. Most of the excavating has been done, and some gutter work put in.

A stretch of Cumberland street next to the Bailey Hotel will not be paved.

TAKE MANUAL TRAINING.

Boys of Town Organized Into Class By Gus Ramage—Girls To Get Sewing Instruction.

A manual training class for boys between the ages of 10 and 15 has been organized by Gus Ramage, pastor of the Central Christian Church, and has met every day this week in the Church basement for practical instruction and work. All boys of this age in Vernon, regardless of church membership, are eligible to enter the class, according to Mr. Ramage, to whom they may apply.

The first thing each boy made was a costume, and aside from these they have made tables for each of the Sunday School classes this week. Mr. Ramage asks those who want costumes, tables, porch swings or benches to apply for them from the boys in the class.

A sewing class for girls between the age of 12 and 16 will be organized next Tuesday. This class will be in charge of Mrs. Henry Rogers and Miss Sallie Allingham who will give instruction in pattern cutting and dress making. Further information may be obtained from either of the two women in charge, it was announced today.

FORMER VERNON PEOPLE ENJOY BIG SNOW IN JULY

Eighteen inches of snow in July! Sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it? The story is an honest-to-goodness truth, although it is far removed from Vernon.

Robert Bennett writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bennett from Helena, Mont., that they have had a snow a foot and a half deep in the mountains just "back of his house," and a slight fall in the valley. Robert is spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. Uriel Reed, in Helena, Mont.

Thermometer Registered 105 Yesterday. The mercury climbed up to 105 degrees yesterday, according to the thermometer in front of Renfro's Hardware store on the south side of the public square. In the shade the highest temperature reported was not quite 100 degrees. Wednesday was the hottest day so far this summer.

Identification Letters for Members.

The chamber of commerce will be glad to give a letter of identification to any member who is planning a trip this summer. Such letter will likely aid in getting acquainted, and might be of value.

MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

Continuous Showings

TODAY—FRIDAY

Special Thomas Meigan
Production"THE FRONTIER
OF STARS"

(His Best Don't Miss It)

Supported by Faire Binney

Also Snub Polard in a fun-
ny comedy—"Blue Sunday"

SATURDAY—COMING

TOM MIX in
"HANDS OFF"ART ACORD—"The White
Horse Man" & Star ComedyThomas Meigan in "The Frontier of Stars"
A Paramount PictureMONDAY—FIRST NAT'L SPECIAL
POLA NIGRI the famous continental star in the Screen's
Mightiest Epic
"PASSION"

(Beautiful and Powerful, Beyond Compare)

COMING—"MAN, WOMAN AND MARRIAGE."

COULD BEAT HANDS
SHUCKING HIS CORNAt Least J. A. White Would Bet So
After Being Relieved Of
Dyspepsia By Tanlac."My wife and myself have had
stomach troubles," says Mr. J. A. White,
residing on the Leestown Pike, R. F. D.
No. 6, near Lexington, Ky., "and have
both been nervous and run down.""We could not eat anything without
suffering afterwards and could not
sleep at night. We were regular ner-
vous dyspeptics. We tried many reme-
dies without permanent benefit until
we heard of Tanlac. I got this medi-
cine and began using it. We noticed
immediate results. We are both great-
ly improved by Tanlac. We give all
credit for the change of health to Tan-
lac. It is a remarkable medicine.""I personally feel so good that I
told my hands a day or two ago that I
could beat any of them shucking corn.
I meant it and believe I could have
beat 'em all."Of all the maladies that afflict hu-
manity chronic dyspepsia, such as Mr.
and Mrs. White suffered from, is prob-
ably the most prevalent and hours
might be consumed in describing the
sufferings, mental and bodily, of the
victims of chronic dyspepsia.A morbid, unreal, whimsical and
melancholy condition of the mind
aside from the nervous physical suf-
fering is the usual state of the aver-
age dyspeptic and life seems scarcely
worth the living.Tanlac, the celebrated medicine, was
designed especially for overcoming
this distressing condition and millions
of people have taken it with the most
astonishing and gratifying results. It
seems to go straight to the spot, toning
up and invigorating every organ of the
body.Tanlac is sold in Vernon by Ferguson
Drug Company in Odell by R. J. Bel-
cher, in Harrold by Wilson Drug Com-
pany and leading druggists every-
where.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY HAS
SOCIAL SERVICE SESSIONThe Missionary Society of the Meth-
odist Church held its regular all-day
monthly meeting last Monday and con-
ducted a social service session. The
devotional services which opened the
day's meeting began with the singing
of "Rescue the Perishing" which was
followed by a scripture lesson taken
from Acts 3:1-9, led by Mrs. S. W.
Hayne. Mrs. J. H. McDonald of
Quannah, conference secretary, then in-
structed those present on the duties of
officers.Social and lunch hours were held
from 12 to 2 o'clock, and Mrs. A. B.
Stovall's circle served the noon meal.
About fifty-five were present. The
first hour afternoon was devoted to
Bible study, conducted by Rev. S. W.
Hayne, who talked on the paring of
Paul and Barnabas and the beginning
of Paul's second missionary journey.
Mrs. Y. H. Babasin then read and dis-
cussed the Social Service Creed and
Mrs. J. McDonald gave further instruc-
tions.Mrs. T. G. Currie was appointed
superintendent of children's work and
Mrs. A. B. Stovall was made her
assistant. They will meet every other
Friday, beginning this week, for work
with the children.FROM RINGS ON THEIR TOES
TO JEWELS ON THEIR NOSE

Princess Fatima

Princess Fatima, Sultana of Kabul,
Afghanistan, photographed on her ar-
rival in San Francisco recently from
the Orient, wearing a jewels on her
nose. The Princess is a cousin of the
Emir of Afghanistan. She is en route
to England with her three sons, who
will enter college there.

RED CROSS HINTS.

Play.

Mr. Office Worker, how many more
years have you to live?If you are more than 25 years old
you are living longer than the law of
averages allows you.Statistics of one of the greatest in-
surance organizations in the world
based on the mortality of thousands
of office workers show the startling
fact that American indoor workers die
at an average age of 35 years, just
when they should be in the highest
prime of their lives.You've only one life to live and
there's lots to be gotten out of life in
happiness and accomplishment before
the last page of the chapter is turned.
Why cut your span in half?Play more. Those two words sum
up the root of the whole problem of
vitality and health for the man who
must work indoors. The average man
has at least 1400 hours a year in which
he can play. Recreation and play sets
up a barrage against disease, strength-
ens the system, makes life more worth
while.Stop chasing the dollar after office
hours. Forget your worries in the
evenings and get out of doors. See
how it feels to throw your pole out
once more. Just the old swimming hole
take a plunge in the river or swimming
pools of your city; get out on the golf
links or the tennis courts, challenge
your neighbor for a game of horse
shoes, see if you still remember how to
throw a baseball, try out your batting
eye again.There's some kind of play for every
kind of man. And play is the best
kind of insurance you can buy. It's
about the only thing that's "good for
you" that also is lots of fun.Play hard and you'll be alive and en-
joying "business as usual" long after
the other fellow chased the dollar and
the high cost of living into the ceme-
tery.INVITATIONS ARE OUT
TO HICKS-CRAIG WEDDINGInvitations are out to the wedding of
Miss Frances Hicks and M. L. Weems
Craig which will take place at 8:30
o'clock next Wednesday evening at the
home of the bride's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. E. P. Hicks.The engagement of Miss Hicks to Mr.
Craig was announced July 5 since
which time a number of social affairs
have been given in her honor.Mrs. S. W. Bailey, Mrs. W. D. Berry
and Mrs. L. K. Johnson drove to Wich-
ita Falls for the day yesterday.For the convenience of the public I
have moved my hemstitching
machine into Mrs. Esther Key's
Millinery Store where I will be
glad to meet all customers.Ten Cents a Yard Phone 283
MRS. J. D. KEY

51-91p

Prices Down to Where They Belong

Have you noticed our prices on everything we sell. They are abso-
lutely down where they belong.Our Fountain drinks are prepared right to suit your taste. Our Ice
Cream is absolutely pure and wholesome.Our Homemade Candy is made with great care, and the best materi-
als that can be used.Remember our Coca Cola 6 cents
Vanilla Ice Cream 45 Cents per quart. Cream Cones 5 cents.WE APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE.
CANDYLAND

Liberty Cafe

Vernon's Best

EATING HOUSE

QUALITY

AND THE COURAGE TO BACK IT UP

True courage is neither blind nor spectacular; true courage is patient,
careful, intelligent; it holds to an ideal and lives up to it in the face of
danger and difficulty.We have never catered to our price cutting competitors for we have
never carried anything in stock but high class merchandise; for our
customers are all of the better class, therefore nothing but quality goods
will do on our shelves.We pride ourselves on having more friends than any other institution of
its kind in Vernon.Thirty-two years ago this business was founded in this city and we be-
lieve it is only reasonable to state that our present business is built on
nothing else than the reliability of our goods and the fairness of our
business policy.PARKER-DONGES
GROCERY COMPANYPICTORIUM
—THEATRE—

CONTINUOUS SHOW 10:30 A. M. TO 11:30 P. M.

Fri.

WILLIAM FAIRBANKS in

"Fighting Bill"

The Most Realistic Fight Picture Ever Produced.

Also "THE GUMPS" and SELZNICK NEWS

Sat.

EUGENE O'BRIEN

"Worlds Apart"

"Thunderbolt Jack No. 4" and "Neal Hart Western"

Mon.

BETTY COMPSON

ROY STEWART and CLARA HORTON

"PRISONERS OF LOVE"

by CATHERINE HENRY

Also SELZNICK NEWS

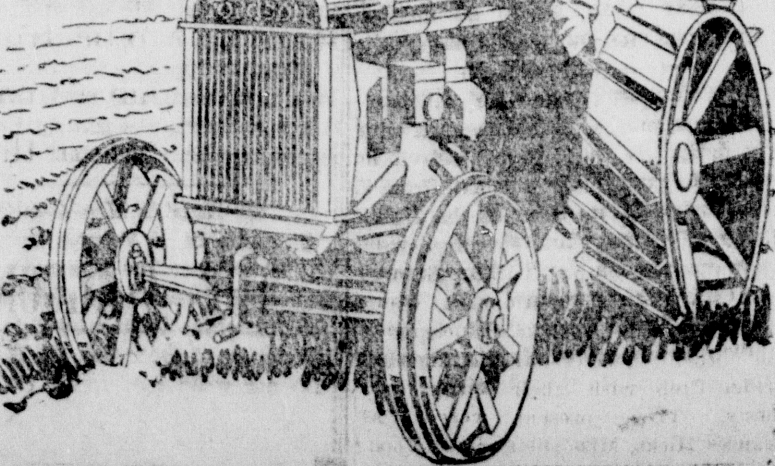
ANNOUNCEMENT

We have the pleasure of announcing that we have made ar-
rangements to furnish Vernon car owners DIAMOND
FABRIC AND CORD TIRES.The reason why we selected DIAMOND TIRES is because
we know they are high in quality and low in price.There are some tires being sold here at "bargain day"
prices, but later these so-called bargains will prove mighty
expensive tire equipment. Tires of standard makes are
much cheaper in the long run. BUY A DIAMOND.General Auto Supply Co.
Tire Store

IN THE WHITE GARAGE BUILDING

Fordson
TRACTORDo More
in a Day
Do It BetterOne man with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can do more
work easier and with less
expense than two men can
do with horses. This means
that you with a FORDSON
TRACTOR can actually
raise more crops, with less
work and less expense. And
this means that your profits
will be greater with fewer
hours of work.Besides the FORDSON will take
care of every power job on the
farm. It is light, alert, flexible in
control and operation, yet it has
power and endurance to spare.You should see the FORDSON
at work to appreciate its wonder-
ful capabilities. We will gladly
give you the proofs if you will
ask for them, either by a personal
call, phone or post card.Napier Bros.
Motor Co.

Vernon, Texas

\$625.00
F. O. B. DetroitHALL COUNTY MAN
ASKS ABOUT LAND
HERE FOR ALFALFAC. E. Spath Had Planned to Go
to Colorado Until He Read
Statement Concerning Sub-ir-
rigated Fields in Wilbarger—
May Come for Investigation.Alfalfa growing is reputed to be one
of the most profitable of all farm ven-
tures, aside from the fact that it en-
riches the soil year after year. Along
the various river courses all over the
Middle West "alfalfa is king."The same is true along the Pecos
river in New Mexico, in various parts
of Colorado, and on the Plains of
Northwest Texas. However, irrigation
is necessary practically all over these
areas.So that it is not surprising that when
C. E. Spath of Memphis read in State
papers a reprint of The Record's ar-
ticle about alfalfa growing in Wilbarger
county he became interested. The
article referred to states that 6,000
acres in Wilbarger county were seeded
to alfalfa last year, yielding from four
to six tons to each acre; and that dur-
ing the extremely dry period ending in
1918 numerous fields in Wilbarger
county seeded to alfalfa, produced
from three to five tons to an acre.

Would Grow Chickens.

It was stated that investigators over
there are 25,000 acres of sub-irrigated
land in Wilbarger county which will
produce alfalfa abundantly during we-
ters, or dry. Attention was also called
to the fact that Wilbarger county
alfalfa has been a consistent prize win-
ner in State competition, and has com-
manded a premium in price because of
its large percentage of leaf.Mr. Spath writes from Memphis
Texas: "Please give me full particu-
lars regarding this sub-irrigated land,"
he says; "its location, and price at
which it can be bought. I want a small
place of only ten or twenty acres that
will grow alfalfa successfully without
any failures—something not too far
out, suitable for a poultry farm and
hatchery."

Prefers Texas to Colorado.

"I had arrangements made to leave
here for Colorado in search of a suit-
able location for my business, but have
decided if you can 'make good' as per
this clipping, I will run down and in-
vestigate that locality. It will suit me
much better to remain in Texas if I
can find a suitable location."Mr. Spath asks information by re-
turn mail, and requests that real estate
men send me a list of such places, to-
gether with full information. "Please
remember," Mr. Spath repeats, "that
I am anxious for this information by
return mail, and will appreciate very
much your prompt reply, as well as
the list from real estate dealers."

Excursion Rate To St. Louis.

A special round trip summer ex-
cursion fare of \$46.20 plus a tax of \$3.70
has been made from Vernon to St.
Louis, Mo., according to word received
at the Fort Worth and Denver station
today. The sales will start today and
last until September 30 and the final
return limit is October 31. Tickets
will be good for stopover at all sta-
tions on both the going and return trip.
This is the first time that a rate has
ever been made from here to St. Louis,
according to G. H. Wheeler, local
agent.Kodak finishing—
Good work.

Prompt service.

Courteous treatment.

Miss Boss Herrick of Waco arrived
Tuesday to visit Miss Frances Hicks.Miss Gladys Seals went to Wichita
Falls Monday to visit friends.

IN SOCIETY

Entertains "42" Club.

Mrs. Daniel Bond entertained the Thursday "42" Club yesterday afternoon at which time the following members were present: Mesdames E. F. Hicks, Shirley Cook, A. C. Roger, T. J. Youngblood, Matt Roger, W. N. Stokes, Howard Roger, Harry Mason, F. L. Massie, N. R. Heath, C. S. McColloch, T. P. Lisman, W. H. Huggins, J. W. Wheatley, W. M. McCaleb, A. C. Rayzor and J. V. Townsend. Substitutes were Mesdames W. K. Long, Luther Webb, Bass King, Bob Ferrell and S. W. Bailey. Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Mary Anderson and Miss Bass Herick, of Waco, presided at the lunch bowl as the guests arrived. A salad course was served later in the afternoon.

Honors Two House-Guests.

Mrs. C. V. King entertained a large number of young ladies this morning in honor of her two house-guests, Miss Lorene Murphy and Miss Floy Seay of Honey Grove. Tables of "42" were arranged indoors and on the porch and both places were attractively decorated with zenias, daisies and sun-flowers. A dainty ice course made the refreshments. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. P. W. Hendrix, Mrs. Homer Rogers and Mrs. Harry Robinson. Those invited to meet Mrs. King's guests were Misses Woodie and Beryl Dixon, Doris Roger, Dorothy and Audrey Cook, Addie Thompson, Era Morris, Thelma Sherrill, Ruth and Thelma Batchelor, Johnnie Mallow, Juanita and Oleta Youngblood, Eleanor Phillips, Frances and Dorothy Hicks, Bess Herick, Elizabeth Garner, Mary Anderson, Anna Jo Pendleton, Thelma Smith, Ina Works, Minnie King, Ethel Haney, Leola Smith, Lilly Castlebury, Lizzie Hix, Ruby Williams, Inez Robinson, Beula and Maude Ladd, Ruby Lizzie and Ethel Reese, Birdie Hart, Annie and Myer, Charlie Mae North, Bowers, Georgia Castle, Mary Davis, Mildred Young, Maxwell Norwood, Mary and Blackman and Vera Seales.

Entertain With Bridge.

Mrs. Roy Martin and Mrs. Fred Thompson entertained a large number of their friends yesterday morning with a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Martin. The house was decorated for the occasion with many clusters of garden flowers of various varieties. A salad course was served the guests. Those invited were Mesdames R. B. Gibson, T. P. Lisman, Jr., C. E. Warren, Will Colley, W. M. Schindler, Harry Colley, R. H. Coffee, Howard Timberlake, E. M. Haney, F. L. Massie, Emory Rhoads, Harry Mason, Josephine Collins, Cy Long, Joe Parker, R. B. Sherrill, M. J. Moore, Dee Norwood, J. G. Sherman, T. A. King, Hub Colley, C. V. King, W. W. Bennett, Y. H. Babash, Roy McConihe, A. B. Garland, J. T. Glover, Bass King, E. L. Pendleton, H. K. Greever, Kelton Greever, E. C. Christian, O. A. Brunson, B. A. Williams, G. C. Kemp, H. A. Thompson, Foster Edmonson, S. W. Bailey, Della Houssels, Henry Rogers and Vida Townsend; and Misses Harriet Thomas, J. L. Murray and Venita Denny.

Give Party Yesterday.

Mrs. Myatt Napier and Mrs. Bob Ferrell honored Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Napier. Daisies, zenias and other garden flowers were used in the attractively arranged decorations. Misses Elizabeth Hicks and Martha Long poured punch for the guests as they arrived and later a salad course was served. The high score favor, a hand embroidered apron, went to Miss Bess Herick, and the guest of honor was given a hand made pillow. Members of the Tuesday Bridge Club and their house-guests, and Mrs. E. P. Hicks were present.

Gives Party For Class.

W. N. Stokes, teacher of the Young Ladies' Class of the Baptist Sunday School, entertained the members and their husbands and gentlemen friends last night at his home. Punch was served to the guests as they arrived and later other refreshments were served. A program was given during the evening, several talks on the work and aims of the class being made.

Gives Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. S. S. Munger gave a bridge luncheon yesterday morning honoring the bride-to-be, Miss Frances Hicks. The guests were invited for 10 o'clock and after they had assembled and played four hands of bridge a four course luncheon was served. Zenias and daisies combined with pink and white made the decorations. Covers were laid for Miss Hicks' bridesmaids and other members of the Tuesday Bridge Club, with their out-of-town guests. Those present were Miss Frances Hicks, Miss Oleta Youngblood, Miss Eleanor Phillips, Miss Juanita

NEEDS AN ANNEX FOR NEWEST MEDAL



"Ha! ha!" says "Stubby," smiling, as you plainly can see by the photograph. "Maybe there's something in this dog's life they talk about, after all! General Pershing just pinned a medal on me. Maybe you can't see it, because kings and others had stuck so many others on me. But it's there. Because I'm a wounded hero and everything. I'm a life member of the Y. M. C. A., with three bones a day and a place to sleep guaranteed. Pretty soft, what?" That's the way "Stubby" feels about it all. "Stubby," a bull terrier, went through the World War with veterans of the One Hundred and Second Infantry, has been wounded and is the wearer of three service stripes. "Stubby's" latest medal came from the Humane Education Society and was presented by General Pershing at Washington.

Youngblood, Mrs. Walter McCaleb, Miss Adelle Sumner, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Robbie Standifer, Miss Donalita Standifer, Miss Louis Pendar, Miss Helen White, Miss Bess Herick, Miss Dorothy Hicks, Miss Elizabeth Garner, Mrs. Clint Stewart, wood. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. C. S. McColloch and Mrs. Della Houssels.

Misses Youngblood Entertain.

Miss Oleta and Miss Juanita Youngblood entertained for Miss Frances Hicks with a bridge luncheon yesterday morning at their home on West Willbarger street. Pink cannas were used for floral decorations and the color scheme of pink and white was

carried throughout. The high score prize was won by Miss Mary Anderson and favors were given to the guest of honor and to Miss Eleanor Phillips the hostess' house-guest. Covers were laid for only the young ladies who are to be in the Hicks-Craig wedding and their house-guests.

Entertains S. S. Class.

Miss Lillie Castlebury gave a picnic supper on the lawn at her home Tuesday night for the members of the Sunshine Workers class of the Methodist Sunday School of which she is teacher. About twenty-five were present and after supper, which was served at 6:30 o'clock, games were enjoyed in the yard.

The Vernon Abstract Co.

JAMES O. ROUSE, Manager

The oldest and best equipped abstract plant in Willbarger County, modern and up to the minute. Managed during all its existence by successful business men and lawyers.

Let us figure with you. The price is right, the service is prompt, the work is dependable.

We invite you to use our free record service.

U. S. Davis, President; L. G. Hawkins, Vice President, James O. Rouse, Secretary and Manager.

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—The most important for the average depositor to learn is that his bank can be useful to him in many ways other than being a place to keep his money. This ought to be true of all banks; we have made it particularly true of this one.

THE WAGGONER NATIONAL BANK

Vernon, Texas

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who administered to the needs and brought the floral offerings in the sickness and death of our daughter and grand-daughter. May God's richest blessings rest on every one.

MR. and MRS. R. P. SMALL and family.
MR. and MRS. M. A. SMALL. 11

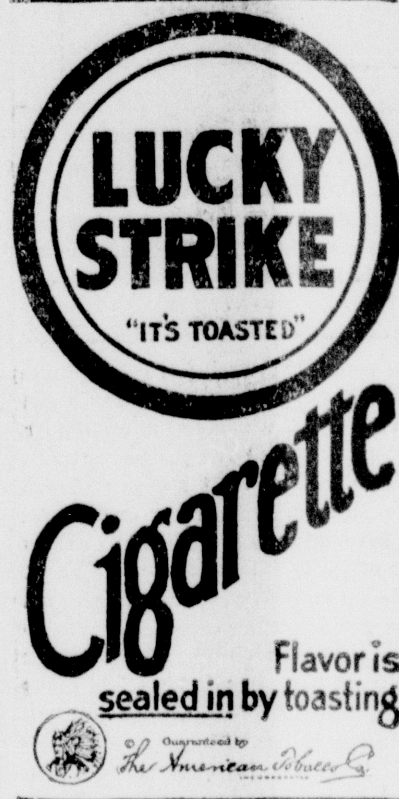
Mrs. Guy Ash, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Small, returned Wednesday to Decatur.

See the Trubirpruf tires at Lutz & Schmoker's. Corner Texas and Franklin. 77-tfe

Money, Money, Money.

We have an endless chain of money to lend on farms, in Willbarger, Foard, Hardeman, and other Western Texas counties. Long time, and at rates as low as can be had anywhere. 161-tfe

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THIS SALE SHATTERS ALL FORMER SALES FOR VALUE-GIVING ONE-HALF OFF



on the following merchandise, all Hart, Schaffner & Marx and other standard lines of clothing, in Dixie Weaves, Mohairs and Palm Beach.

\$15.00 Palm Beach Suits now.....	\$ 7.50
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\$20.00 Mohair Suits now.....	\$10.00
\$25.00 Mohair Suits now.....	\$12.50
\$30.00 Mohair Suits now.....	\$15.00
\$35.00 Dixie Weave Suits now.....	\$17.50
\$37.50 Dixie Weave Suits now.....	\$18.75

CAP BARGAINS

Our entire cap stock of the very latest styles and models will go at—ONE HALF PRICE

\$.75 Caps	\$.37
\$1.00 Caps	\$.50
\$1.50 Caps	\$.75
\$2.00 Caps	\$1.00
\$2.50 Caps	\$1.25

TAKE NOTICE

The man who likes a nice cool hat for mid-summer wear. Our entire stock of straws, Panamas and Baliluks will go at

ONE-HALF PRICE

One lot of men's shirts that formerly sold for \$1.50 to \$2.50, now89c

One special lot of men's shoes, which sold from \$10.00 to \$12.50, now\$5.85

Don't fail to call and see us for we have many other bargains, too many to mention. Give us a look before you buy for it is a pleasure to show you.

Dixon Dry Goods Company

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

The Vernon Record

(Incorporated)

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Buford O. Brown, Editor and Manager
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Card of thanks—50c.
Obituary notices—1c a word.
Poetry—2c a word.

Always include cash when mailing reading notices.

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Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Friday, July 15, 1921.

BAD ROADS EXPENSIVE.

The loss to Wilbarger county from highways that are bad (to say the least) is hard to estimate. Every farmer who goes to market pays toll of no inconsiderable amount. This is particularly true when time is as valuable to the farmer as it is now.

Perhaps the loss to the business man is much less than to the farmer. That, however, is by no means inconsiderable.

Some of our roads do take the joy out of driving, and the reputation of the county as spread abroad by a never-ending train of tourists who pass back and forth intermittently, is a loss of no small consequence.

Nor does it repay the loss to say that the building of good dirt roads in Wilbarger county is impossible. The Record appreciates efforts put forth by the county judge and commissioners to improve county highways. In many places their success has been admirable.

There are stretches of road where travel must be at a snail's pace. The surface is as hard as flint and if it had been smoothed following June rains an almost perfect road would be the result now.

Few culverts along the Colorado-to-the-Gulf Highway between Vernon and Chillicothe can be taken at a speed within the limits fixed by law without danger of catapulting through the car top, and the necessity for laying over to repair broken springs. The approaches to Pease river bridge are such that it is well to stop one's ears when the driver approaches them.

It may be possible that a lack of funds, or the inability to get workmen, or the great amount of work being done elsewhere is delaying these very important repairs. Certainly no one is culpably negligent. The fact remains that every man who travels is paying heavy toll as a result of the condition of our roads.

Williamson county is spending \$191,167.40 on a permanent highway from Georgetown to the Travis county line. Of this amount the Federal and State governments pay one-half.

PERMANENT SUPPORT FOR EDUCATION.

It is surprising that President Vinson should have complained to the commercial executives, meeting in Austin, that the University is forced to face the necessity of taking care of a constantly increased attendance on an ever decreasing unit cost. Does it not seem reasonable that the "unit cost," or cost per student should decrease as the number increases—and especially so since the cost of everything is going down?

Few will attempt to reason against President Vinson's statement that the State University (and other educational institutions supported by the Commonwealth) should have permanent support. Admitting that each legislature is friendly to the institutions and in sympathy with their ever growing program, there is an uncertainty about legislative appropriations that practically precludes any definite and

permanent plan for our educational institutions.

By providing a fixed rate for them, the task of their administrative officers is made much easier, a comprehensive plan may be laid down for growth and many useless expenditures (such as make-shifts heretofore necessary) may be avoided. Let the tax be 1 mill—more or less, as may seem wise—but make it permanent, and take our educational institutions out of politics.

General Dawes knowledge of music, it is to be hoped, will enable him to compose his latest masterpiece—The Budget Blues—with just enough jazz to make it take in the National Capital.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Tuesday's editorial should have recited that the Secretary of State receives \$2,000 a year. It is proposed to increase the compensation to \$5,000 a year. This is the pay it is proposed to attach to the offices of Treasurer, Comptroller, and Land Commissioner.

The amendment would fix the salary of Governor at \$8,000 a year and that of the Attorney General at \$7,500. This increase would mean an additional tax of only one-half cent on the man who pays on an assessed valuation of \$1,000, or 5c on \$10,000.

Amendment No. 3 would increase the assessment for Confederate pensions from 5 cents to 7 cents on the \$100. The increase is a trifle. It will serve to make more comfortable the last days of those veterans who have suffered so many privations, and whose number is rapidly diminishing.

Amendment No. 4 would increase the pay of legislators to \$10 a day for a session of 120 days and not to exceed \$5 a day thereafter. On the other hand it would reduce by half the present mileage allowance of not to exceed \$5 for each 25 miles.

It is certain that governmental offices should never pay well enough to cause them to be sought for the salaries attached. Few will gainay the statement, however, that the pay should be enough to enable those who fill them to support, to a reasonable degree at least, the dignity of the office.

The fifth amendment provides that only native-born or naturalized citizens may vote; that a husband may pay the poll tax of his wife, or a wife that of her husband, and that the legislature may authorize absentee voting. As the law now is a foreigner may vote as soon as he declares his intention of becoming a citizen.

If American citizenship is worth having, surely it is reasonable to ask that a foreigner wait until he becomes a citizen before he is given the privilege of voting. This, of all the amendments, is perhaps most important.

Putting the first last—Amendment No. 1 proposes to abolish the Board of Prison Commissioners established by Section 58 of Article XVII. Through error this is described on the ballot as amendment to Section 58 of "Article XVII." It is doubtful of this error does not make illegal the amendment, even if it should be adopted. So that, without going into the merits of the question, any vote on Amendment No. 1 will perhaps be equivalent to a negative.

Surely Texans will vote "Yes" on Amendments 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Building good roads when Uncle Sam and the State of Texas will pay half the bill surely seems letting the other fellow "set 'em up" before the Volstead law went into effect.

GET YOUR SHARE?

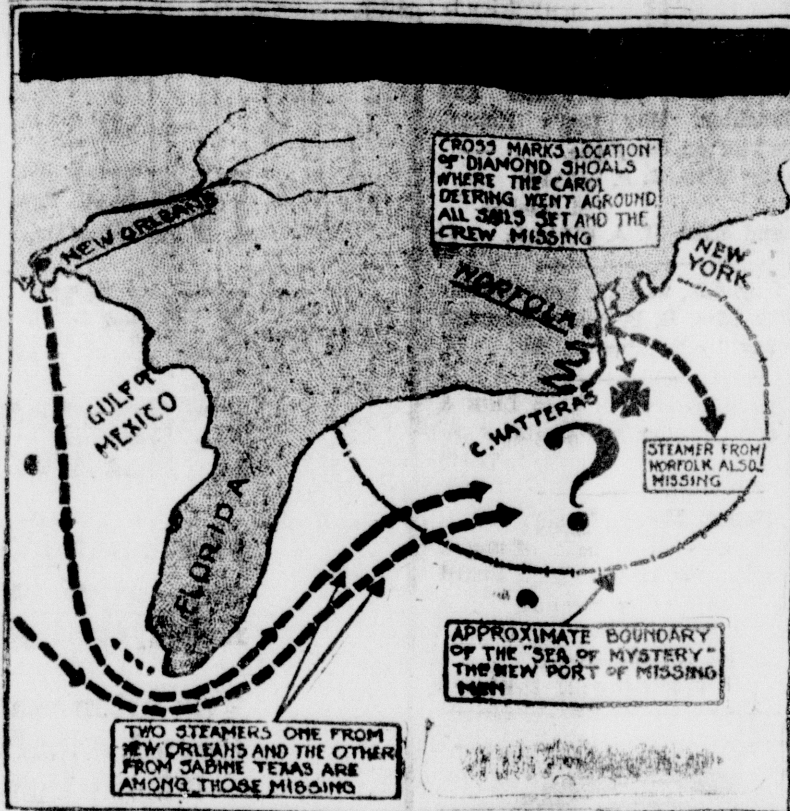
Five hundred thousand gallons of water a day is the average consumption in Vernon, according to City Engineer A. J. Robinson. On the basis of 5,143 people (figures given by the United States census), this is an average of only little less than a hundred gallons for each person.

Do you get your share?

Of course, the water is an item of expense, and the use of 100 gallons for each member of a large family would mean considerable at the end of the month. Without lawns and flowers such quantity of water is not at all necessary.

It is a source of gratification that Vernon home-owners are interested in

THE "SEA OF MYSTERY."



The seven seas are being searched by ships of the U. S. Navy in the hope of finding some trace of the twelve or more vessels which mysteriously disappeared. Government officials in discussing the case hinted at piracy of the kind that harks back to the days of Captain Kidd. One theory is that bootleggers are using the craft in liquor running in the South. The map shows where the Carroll A. Deering is believed to have gone down, while the question mark takes in the territory of the mid-Atlantic seaboard, where other ships are thought to have disappeared.

lawn and flowers. These things speak eloquently of the citizenship of the community. They also have a direct and considerable bearing upon the character of our men and women of tomorrow.

The fact that Vernon has a water supply ample for such demands is also gratifying. Water, well kept lawns and flower gardens are all considerable assets to any community.

Maybe American society girls are merely fighting the dress goods trust when they "make up" their faces and wear so few dry goods.

Open Column.

Brace Up.

If life seems unkind and pleasures are few—
And the grey of the cloud hides all trace of blue—

You wonder why, of millions of men, Fate should have picked you—Ah, then it is time to brace up—to say, with a grin.

"I'll fight once again—and fight to win."

With duty as umpire let us do our best—

If true to ourselves we will weather the test—

Only a coward gives up in despair. The brave will ever the burden bear.

So brace up! and fight! and say, with a grin.

"I'm here to the finish!"—then go in and win!

N. E. C.

The Next Governor of Texas.

In the Fort Worth Star-Telegram of the 13th inst.; I notice the following on page sixteen: "What promises to be an open breach between the Governor and members of the Legislature at the coming special session was foreshadowed late Tuesday, when over half a dozen members of both branches, who are also members of the House and Senate appropriation committees made public a statement 'that we will not support Governor Neff's program for an increased burden on the people of Texas by seeking new sources of revenue.' The same article further says: The statement declares that 'one must come to the conclusion that the Governor of this great state went before the people of Texas without correct information, and innocently misstated facts, or must come to the conclusion that for some reason, unknown to the people of Texas, he went before them and misstated facts.'"

In an editorial of the same issue, the following: "One passage of Governor Neff's Corsicana speech ought not to be permitted to go unchallenged. He said: 'I vetoed \$6,000,000 of the special appropriations the Legislature made. That was about all I could veto without crippling the service. I got into trouble, too. I came near to dividing the State. I'll tell you things were looking pretty serious for a while. They held an indignation meeting and said they wouldn't live in a State that had such a man for Governor.'"

"This editorial further states that Governor Neff knows that these indignation meetings were held, not because of the veto of \$6,000,000, but rather because of his veto of the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College bill.

I go on record as being opposed to the division of our State and believe this is the sentiment of at least 75 per cent of our people, but there does seem

to be something wrong in the machinery of our state government. From my view point we have not had a governor of Texas for years who was at all satisfactory. It seems the men of the Reagan, Ross, Hogg or Roberts type have not been brought out for this great office in this state for years. I ask in all sincerity, "Why should not Wilbarger county, yes, Vernon, furnish the next governor?" I believe that the man I have in mind would carry every precinct in West Texas and can be elected if he will only make the race. I believe also that no man can afford to refuse when the people demand that he give them his service as a state official. This gentleman is a scholar, a man of rare ability, of ripe experience and one who would I believe restore the State to its standard of bygone statesmanship. I refer to the Hon. W. D. Berry. Who will second the nomination?

B. F. HOLCOMB.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Byars left yesterday for a visit in Lockney and Plainview, on the South Plains. A brother of Mr. Byars lives in Floyd county.

Kodak finishing—the kind you want at the price you want to pay. Clifton Studio. Itc

J. N. Mann of Roswell, N. M., has been visiting his brother, Frank Mann assistant postmaster. The former gentleman formerly owned the City Bakery, and moved from Vernon to Memphis.

Bring your kodak films to the Clifton Studio for satisfactory results. Itc Adv.

Never trouble, trouble till trouble troubles you. Then go to Lutz & Schmoker's and get a set of Troubleproof dres for your car, then your tire troubles will be over. 77-tfe

D. ESTES

For Goodrich over-size, 30x3 1-2 for . . . \$16.00
Firestone 30x3 1-2 non-skid, \$13.95, the lowest price standard tire on the market to-day.

PORTRAITS

These Hot Days

While we are prepared to take pictures at any time, Day or Night, rain or shine, we suggest that where possible you have sittings in the morning before the heat of the day.

Call and see our new line of swing frames all sizes and tones to fit your picture.



Kramer Studio

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Be photographed on your birthday this year.

Peaches.

Elberta peaches are now ready for sale.
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BOONE MARTIN.

Piano Tuning—\$10 Reveal.

and my work free to the person that engages me to tune and repair their piano if I do not put it in first class condition. Special attention to Players, Tuning, Voicing, Tone-Regulating, Cleaning, Repairing, Bellows recovered, Action adjustment. All work guaranteed.

Factory representative for pianos, player pianos, and Electric pianos. Leave orders in Vernon at Phone 611. Altus, Okla. Phone 245.

51-Ste A. C. (ECK) ROBERTSON.

Play Ball! Play Ball!

To good base ball players who come to us and play on our team we will make a SPECIAL rate on all life scholarships. Position guaranteed when course is completed. Scholarship good in any Draughon's Business College throughout the country.

Now is your chance to get the ACCREDITED Draughon Business Course and play ball. Write for catalogue and full information. Can you play foot ball and basket ball?

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No man ever lost a cent by depositing in a State Bank

First Guaranty State Bank

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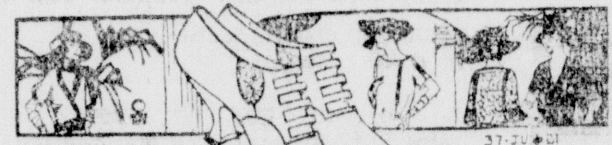
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Full Directions With Each Package

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THE SHOE SHOP
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SHOPPING
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THE LAST CALL

Hundreds of pairs of shoes. Strap Oxfords and Pumps are thrown into this great Money Saving Sale. Every pair of shoes and slippers have been greatly reduced (except the "Glove Grip" Oxfords for women.) In fact, with few exceptions, we can not replace this foot-wear for the prices now asked. We are not only placing our cheapest slippers and shoes, but we are including all of our highest grades and styles. If you have delayed buying your nice foot-wear—don't delay longer—they will go quickly.

A Few Extra Specials

1 Lot Pumps and low heel Oxfords . . . \$1.00

1 Lot Black Kid Cuban heel . . . \$1.85

1 Lot Pumps (last years price) \$9 to \$12 about 50 pairs, choice . . \$1.85

1 Lot Pumps and Oxfords . . . \$2.85

1 Lot Oxfords . . . \$3.85

1 Lot Oxfords . . . \$4.85

All Hose reduced in price for this Sale—

Please don't ask us to charge goods at sale prices.

H. F. McKIBBIN

Our Greatest July Sale Has Begun

FRIDAY THIS STORE STARTED ITS GREAT JULY SALES. They being saving opportunities which have not been possible for years. These sales renowned for years as opportunities for economical buying, now present the highest quality apparel at prices below those of many months past. We're expecting the whole country to come to this great money saving sale. Come prepared to carry many bargains home with you.

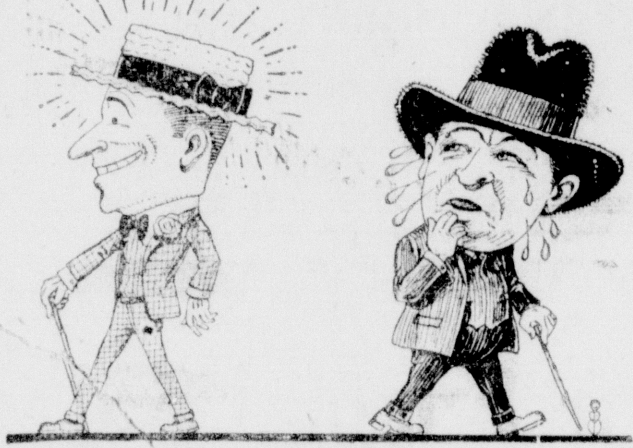
We will exchange merchandise or refund your money on any purchase not satisfactory.



Our salespeople will do their best to see that you get what you are looking for. Prompt and efficient service.

All Stetson Hats, Men, at One-Third Off.

All \$9.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	\$ 6.00
All \$10.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	6.65
All \$12.50 Stetson Hats reduced to	8.35
All \$15.00 Stetson Hats reduced to	10.00



Get Under One of These Half Price Straw Hats and Smile

Our entire stock of Straws will go quickly at HALF PRICE. Not an old one in the lot.

Men's \$3.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	\$1.75
Men's \$5.00 Straw Hats reduced to only	2.50
Men's \$6.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.25
Men's \$7.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	3.75
Men's \$8.50 Straw Hats reduced to only	4.25

We Continue Our \$4.95 and \$6.95 Odd Pants Values. More Than 300 New Pairs Just Received.

Pants values up to \$8.50 for	\$4.95
Pants values, up to \$12.50 for	6.95

Sizes 28 to 50 Waist.

"The Best Shirt Values I've Seen in Years."

That's the usual expression of the men who have seen these shirts. They're better patterns, better cloths and better made than any shirts we've seen in many seasons. Here's the way we're selling them.

\$1.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	\$.98
\$2.00 Dress Shirts reduced to	1.35
\$2.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	1.65
\$3.50 and \$3.00 Dress Shirts	1.95
\$4.50 Dress Shirts reduced to	2.95



Boys' Odd Pants Reduced.

All Boys' \$1.50 Pants reduced to	\$.98
All Boys' \$2.00 Pants reduced to	1.45
All Boys' \$2.50 Pants reduced to	1.95
All Boys' \$3.00 Pants reduced to	2.35
All Boys' \$3.50 Pants reduced to	2.85

All Men's Ties Reduced.

55c Ties reduced to only	\$.35
75c Ties reduced to only	.49
95c Ties reduced to only	.69
\$1.50 Ties reduced to only	1.15
\$2.50 Ties reduced to only	1.85

All Tennis Shoes and Slippers at Half Price.

All \$1.50 Tennis Shoes and Slippers	\$.75
All \$2.00 Tennis Shoes for	1.00
All \$2.50 Keds for only	1.25
All \$3.00 Keds for only	1.50
All \$3.50 Keds for only	1.75

Men's Work Gloves at Bargain Prices.

All Men's \$1.50 Work Gloves only	1.00
All Men's \$2.00 Work Gloves only	1.65
All Mens \$2.50 Work Gloves only	1.85
All Men's \$3.00 Work Gloves only	2.35
All Men's \$3.50 Work Gloves only	2.85
Men's Canvas Gloves, with leather palms	.25
Men's plain Canvas Gloves, 3 pair for	.25

SALE IS IN FULL BLAST

Please do not ask us to charge goods at these prices.

Every Man's Suit in Our Entire Stock Will Surely Move at These Prices

You men who know the kind of clothes we sell know that no better values are to be had in the whole country at our regular price. With these drastic reductions from our already low prices, we know you will not be slow in taking advantage of this unusual opportunity.

Here's the Way They Go! Men.

All \$15.00 Men's Suits reduced to	\$10.00
All \$19.50 Men's Suits reduced to	13.00
All \$24.50 Men's Suits reduced to	16.35
All \$29.50 Men's Suits reduced to	19.65
All \$34.50 Men's Suits reduced to	23.00
All \$39.50 Men's Suits reduced to	26.35
All \$44.50 Men's Suits reduced to	29.65

Take Advantage of This Event to Buy the Boys a New Suit.

One lot of Boys' Palm Beach Suits at only	\$ 1.95
Boys' \$5.00 Woolen Suits reduced to	3.35
Boys' \$7.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	4.95
Boys' \$9.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	6.95
Boys' \$12.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	8.95
Boys' \$15.00 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	9.85
Boys' \$19.50 Two-Trouser Suits reduced to	12.85

All Boys' Wash Suits Half Price.

Half price on our Wash Suits means that you can buy the suits for less than the cost of the material. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Boys' \$2.00 Wash Suits reduced to	\$1.00
Boys' \$2.50 Wash Suits reduced to	1.25
Boys' \$3.00 Wash Suits reduced to	1.50
Boys' \$3.50 Wash Suits reduced to	1.75

Men! Here Are Some Hot Ones—Don't Overlook a Single One.

Men's best grade Blue Overalls and Jumpers, in all sizes, per garment	\$1.15
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 6 to 15 years	.65
Boys' best Blue Overalls, 29 to 31 waist	.75
Men's \$2.00 Khaki Pants, 29 to 31 waist	1.15
Men's \$2.50 Khaki Pants, 30 to 44 waist, for	1.95
Men's Derrick Blue Work Shirts, 14 to 20, for	.75
Men's \$1.50 Khaki Shirts, 14 to 17 1-2 at	1.15
Men's 15c Sox in all colors, for only	.09
Men's Red and Blue Bandana Handkerchiefs	.09
Men's large size Harvest Hats for only	.25
Men's Lee Union-alls, khaki color, 34 to 48, at	2.95
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 2 to 7 years	1.25
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 8 to 11 years	1.45
Boys' Union-alls, khaki color, 12 to 16 years	1.75
Men's Paris Single Grip Garters	.25
Men's Paris Double Grip Garters	.35
Men's 10c White Handkerchiefs	.07
Men's 15c White Handkerchiefs	.10
Men's 25c White Handkerchiefs	.15
Men's 35c White Handkerchiefs at	.19
Men's 50c Belts for only	.35
Men's 75c Belts for only	.50
Men's \$1.00 Belts for only	.75
Men's \$1.50 Belts for only	1.00
Men's \$1.75 Belts for only	1.35
Men's \$2.50 Belts for only	1.65
Men's Sterling Silver Initial Belt Buckles at	.39c, 79c and \$1.15

Every Garment of Men's Summer Underwear Will Be Sold at Substantial Reductions.

All Men's 75c Underwear for	\$.49
All Men's \$1.00 Underwear for	.85
All Men's \$1.50 Underwear for	1.19
All Men's \$2.00 Underwear for	1.45

Extra Special Cut on Boys' Union Suits.

Choice of all Boys' 75c and \$1.00 Union Suits during this sale at only **49 Cents**

All sizes 6 to 16 years. These prices are lower than pre-war times.



Men's Low Cut Shoes at One-Third Off Our Already Low Prices.

Men's \$10.00 Stacy-Adams Low Cuts reduced to	\$6.65
Men's \$9.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	6.00
Men's \$8.00 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.35
Men's \$7.50 Packard Low Cuts reduced to	5.00

All Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes Greatly Reduced for Quick Selling.

All \$1.50 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	\$1.15
All \$1.75 Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.35
All \$2.00 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.65
All \$2.50 Women's and Children's Low Cut Shoes for	1.95
All \$3.00 Women's and Children's Low Shoes for	2.35
All \$3.50 Women's and Children's Low Shoes for	2.85
All \$4.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.25
All \$4.50 Women's Low Shoes for	3.65
All \$5.00 Women's Low Shoes for	3.85
All \$7.50 Women's Low Shoes for	5.85

All Men's and Boys' High Shoes Lowered for This Occasion.

Men's Stacy-Adams Shoes for only	\$10.85
Men's Packard \$10.00 Shoes for only	7.95
Men's Packard \$8.50 Shoes for	6.95
Men's Star Brand \$9.00 Shoes for only	7.45
Men's Star Brand \$8.50 Shoes for only	6.95
All Men's \$7.50 Shoes on sale for only	5.95
All Men's \$7.00 Shoes on sale for only	5.45
All Men's \$6.00 Shoes on sale for only	4.85
All Men's \$5.00 Shoes on sale for only	3.95
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CHILDREN STRIVE TO GAIN WEIGHT IN NUTRITION CLASS

Red Cross Nurse and Home Demonstration Agents Have Interested Little Folks In Working on Number of Pounds Which They Should Have—Advocate Sleep and Milk.

The mothers of fifteen of the sixty children who were found to be in the underweight danger zone when they were examined at the Child Welfare Conference held here early in the summer, are now co-operating with the county Red Cross nurse and home demonstration agents in an effort to make these little folks normal. The second meeting of the nutrition class was held yesterday morning when this number were present, and three mothers came with their children.

The little tots themselves are vitally interested in the matter of gaining the few extra pounds that they need to make them measure up to the standard weight; and they are working to get their record cards decorated with red blue and gold stars. The only child to win a gold star yesterday because he had gained a half pound in the week since the previous meeting of the class hopped down off the scales—happier than did any of the others. His smiling face unmistakably indicated that he was as proud of that half pound as he would have been of a half dollar.

Get Star for Sleeping.

The children are given blue stars if they report twelve hours of sleep each night and an hour's rest each afternoon for a period of a week; and a red star goes on the card if they learn to eat a new food that has been recommended to them in class.

The nutrition class meets every Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and lasts for about an hour. The children are first given a short talk or lesson on matters of health and then they play for a few minutes before they are served with wholesome refreshments. Yesterday morning Miss Rose Edmann, Public Health nurse, talked to them on the care of the teeth. They were shown the right kind of tooth brushes to use and the proper way to brush with them. They were urged to sleep the amount required to gain a blue star and to drink at least three glasses of milk a day.

Ice Cream and Graham Crackers.

They were given ice cream and graham crackers for their lunch at 11 o'clock.

On the first meeting day of the class there were twenty-two children present but all of them did not return yesterday. It is very important, Miss Edmann says, that they be present every week because they forget the lessons taught them unless they attend regularly and have the health principles repeated to them. It is also desired to keep complete records of the progress the little folks make during the three months that the class will be conducted.

The mothers are as welcome at these meetings as are the children. Miss Edith Lacy said yesterday. In fact they are urged to attend. On some days talks will be made to them as well as the children.

Fargo News

Fargo, July 14.—(By special correspondence.)—Most of the farmers of the community are busy breaking their wheat land for another crop. A light rain now would be greatly appreciated.

Miss Edna Hyde of Ames, Okla., who has been visiting Miss Mae Crisp the past two months, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Smith of Vernon spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Greene.

Charlie and Frank Mason, Bryan Hutchinson, "Dutch" Price, Thius and Howard Holland, Elmer Owen and Wixie Harrison left Monday for the Plains to work on the wheat harvest. They went through in Mason Brothers trucks.

Little Miss Inez Norred is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Hays Carbell of Lockett.

Mrs. Johnny Miller of near Sherwood is visiting Mrs. D. L. Lovelace this week.

Several from the community attended the all day singing at White City Sunday.

Thelma Greene has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Packer expect to leave Monday for Dallas to visit Mrs. Packer's parents. They will be gone about thirty days.

Bro. Pearson of Odell will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and night. There will be singing there in the afternoon.

Money on improved farms. Davis & Summerour.

ORDERS OF TEMPLE GIVEN IN SEYMOUR

MEMBERS OF VERNON COMMANDERY SPENT DAY IN NEIGHBORING CITY WEDNESDAY

NO. 2—ORDERS OF TEMPLE—

Orders of the Temple were conferred on twelve candidates of the Seymour Commandery Wednesday. A delegation from Vernon spent the day there in this work, and report a great deal of interest in the Baylor county metropolis in Missouri.

Those who went to Seymour were: Sir L. G. Hawkins, R. Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas; W. D. Berry, J. M. Napier, E. L. Witty, A. P. McCulver, L. E. Kester, R. H. Bratton, N. B. Hodge, H. W. Norwood, J. W. Leek, J. C. Lewellen, S. E. Porterfield, R. H. Lewis, and T. J. Youngblood. The Vernon delegation were guests of the Seymour Chamber of Commerce at luncheon Wednesday noon.

The road between Vernon and Seymour is in fine condition according to those who made the trip. They insist that Vernon and Seymour people should visit more often, thereby getting better acquainted.

Recipe For Canning Beans.

This is the month for bean canning, according to the home demonstration agents. Those who have not had the opportunity, through the medium of the club, to see demonstrations in this particular culinary art may find the following recipe of help.

The Refugee bean is a good variety for canning. The beans should be tender and fresh. When the beans with in the pod have grown to any size canning is more difficult and the product of poorer quality from a commercial standpoint. For canning, only well sorted, small, tender beans should be used.

String the beans and cut them into two inch lengths; cutting diagonally or "on the bias" gives a pretty product. In glass they may be canned whole packed, log cabin fashion in square jars. Blanch three to eight minutes or until the pod will bend without breaking, and plunge into cold water for an instant. Drain well, pack quickly, and cover with brine. When the beans are young and tender process pints two hours continually at boiling temperature, or, if more mature beans are packed, process intermittently. Process quarts intermittently, or forty-five minutes under ten pounds steam, at a temperature of 24 degrees.

Lima beans are treated as peas, adding sugar and seasoning instead of brine. This seasoning is added when the jar is half packed with beans. When the jar is filled with beans, cover them with clear water, paddle to remove air bubbles, and process as for peas.

Home-Made Candy Market.

The Willing Workers Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School will have a home-made candy market in Mallow and Minarik's Meat Market Saturday afternoon. Come and buy from us. 52-2tc Adv.

See us for money on farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

J. D. Key went Wednesday to Barkburnett.

We are again prepared to do your kodak finishing. Clifton Studio. 1tc

R. C. and Hubert Thompson left Tuesday in their truck for the Plains, where they go to work in the harvest.

J. D. Morris and Charles Blackwood have returned from the Plains, where they went to work in the harvest. They were north of Goodnight.

See the Trubipruf Tires at J. E. Lutz's office, corner Texas and Fannin streets. 63-tf

George B. Zachry of White Produce Company returned yesterday from Memphis, Childress, and other points up the Denver, where the company has houses.

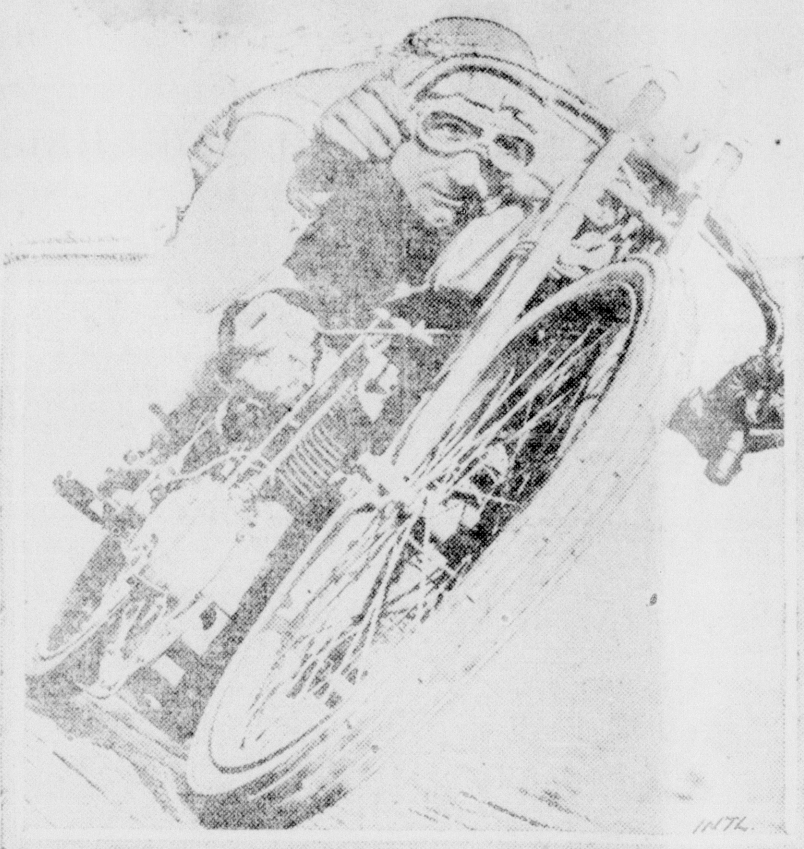
O—U Money. We have plenty to loan on improved farms. Davis & Summerour. 87-tfc

L. E. Piper, cashier of the Waggoner National Bank, is spending ten days in San Antonio. Mrs. Piper, Miss Dorothy, and Mrs. Piper's father are also in San Antonio.

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A. Allison is on the South Plains looking after his farms. Mrs. Allison accompanied him to their farms in Oklahoma, and returned home from Quanah.

CAMERA BEATS MOTORCYCLE.



Speed photographs with absolute clarity of detail such as this one are rare. In fact, for motorcycle racers to attain a speed of 112 miles an hour thus surpassing the speed of the fastest racing cars and trains is a feat never accomplished until attained by Fred Ludlow, shown in the photo. The picture was made at the new Beverly Hills Speedway in Los Angeles during this record breaking event. As evidence of the advance in speed photography, this picture is quite as interesting as Ludlow's feat.

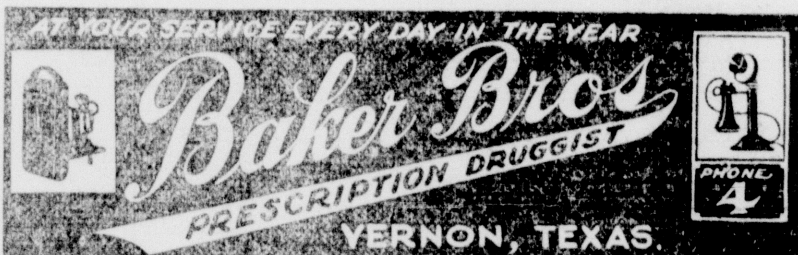
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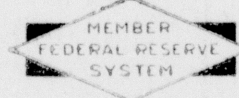
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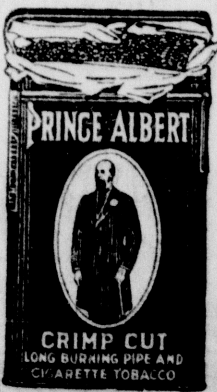
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FORMER ARMY MAN HIGHWAY DIRECTOR

**CAPTAIN McMAHAN ORGANIZED
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PORT ACROSS CONTINENT**

Captain B. Strange McMahan has been appointed Field Director of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway. This is in accordance with plans outlined by the directors at their last annual meeting.

"Captain McMahan has had a great amount of highway experience," says a letter from President C. H. Walker of Dalhart, "and enters upon his work with the proper vision of the possibilities of this great interstate highway. We doubt not that in due course of time it will be recognized as one of the great major highways throughout the United States."

Captain McMahan organized and commanded the first motor truck transport across the United States in 1919 and has been commended many times by the War Department for his success in this undertaking. He was associated with the Lincoln Highway Association, and is familiar with plans and methods of other great highway organizations.

In order to finance an organization and publicity campaign it is proposed to offer individual membership all along the route of road uniformly from Galveston and Brownsville to Denver with a durable enameled marker.

Plans of the directors call for a prospectus of the highway, with sectional strip maps that will give tourists all necessary information. It is also proposed to see that the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway is recognized by all map makers. A bi-weekly bulletin is also planned, which will give important information as to condition of roads and weather.

One of the purposes of this bulletin is to encourage all-year tourist travel. People of the Northwest will be encouraged to spend their winters on the Gulf coast, just as Texans are now spending their summers in the mountains.

Entertains With Lawn Party.

Miss Ruth Sewell entertained with a lawn party last night complimentary to Miss Virginia Bonax of Sherman and Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday who are visiting in Vernon. Out-door games were enjoyed, punch, ice cream and cake were served. Those invited were Misses Mattie Mae Renfro, Merle Brunson, Mildred Robinson, Katherine McCulloch, Katherine Wheatley, Katie Crane Dodson, Eva Katherine Rayzor, Jewell Ricks, Iris Young, Ellen Castlebury, Christine Keltz, Sue Hatt, Leta Williams, Virginia Creath, Irene Spears, Margaret Rouse, Gladys Thompson, Martha Long, Lucile Housels, Elizabeth Hicks, Leatrice Bonner, Hazel McElroy, Frances Murchison, Virginia Sewell and Frances Kemp; and Messrs. Guy Norwood, Mery Staley, Theron Gray, Buel Cooper, Curtis Piger, Granville Dawson, Robert Sherrill, Robert Wright, Robert Stokes, Robert More, Frank Massie, Wayne Greene, A. C. Beger, Herman Abbott, James Reger, James Renfro, Harlow Rouse, Henry Rogers, E. M. Leutwyler, Jr., Aubrey Huddleston, Bertram Lisman, Nolan Backus, Lell Buchanan, Buddy Rogers and Paul Wilhelm.

Case Is Tried On Special Issues.

The case of Richie, Key & Egan vs. Haskell, suit on commission, was tried yesterday in the County Court. It went to a jury on special issues. Judge E. L. McHugh has not yet rendered judgment on the findings of the jury.

Vernon to Have Messenger Service.

S. D. Rogers is establishing a messenger service in Vernon. For the present headquarters will be in the B. & W. Drug Company. Mr. Rogers comes to Vernon from Temple, and is a brother of E. L. Rogers, who is with the Southwestern Telephone Company. A charge of 10c is made for delivery of any article.

Miss M. Louise Collins of Dixon Dry Goods Company left Tuesday on an extended buying trip to St. Louis, Chicago and New York. Miss Collins went direct to her home in Oskawana, Iowa, to visit her mother before beginning her buying trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Storey have gone from Galveston to South America, according to a letter received by J. A. Storey. They write that they will return by way of Yucatan and Mexico and will be back in about five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher are expected home today. Since their wedding in Gatesville, July 5, the county superintendent and his bride have been on a honeymoon trip through Central Texas.

Miss Lizzie Reits has returned from a two weeks visit in Wichita Falls and Archer City.

W. K. Long went to Memphis on business Wednesday.

FIRST PHOTO OF INTERNATIONAL POLO MATCHES WON BY AMERICANS.



The above photo, which gives a wonderful idea of the speed of the game, shows a sharp tussle in front of the Americans' goal. The Yankee players won both matches, which decided the international championship.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—2,500 bushels of ear corn, C. P. Hamilton, 8 miles east of Odell, 33-31p.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, furniture and rugs, Corner Wadsworth and Violet, 33-21p.

FOR TRADE—1 eighteen model Buick touring car to trade for Ford truck, T. C. Young Santa Violet Street, 32-31p.

FOR SALE—At Tolbert, Texas, 8 head of work stock consisting of horses and mares weighing from 1,000 to 14,000 pounds. Will sell on terms until October, H. M. Brummett, 44-10p.

PREVENT SPRING BUG TROUBLES—Feed Martin's Blue Bug Remedy to chickens for blue bugs and other insects. Guaranteed. For sale by Baker Bros. Drug Store, 25-10c Fr.

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FOR RENT—Two light house-keeping rooms, Phone 503, 32-21p.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, Mrs. J. D. Key, Phone 291, 32-21p.

FOR RENT—Modern light house-keeping rooms, close in, Call J. W. Johnson, Sun Novell's Grocery, 32-31p.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen

LOST—Brown leather grip between Chris Schmoeker's farm and fairgrounds—contained pair boots, ladies and child's wearing apparel. Return to Record for reward, E. N. Fowler, 11p.

LOST—Jeweled fraternity pin consisting of sword emblazoned on shield. Engraving on back. Finder return to Record office, 49-31p.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—My home at 718 West Texas, Five rooms and bath, 120 foot front. Good terms. Phone 627, 33-31p.

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No. 1004
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FIRST GUARANTY STATE BANK at Odell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral, \$ 70,109.05

Bonds and Stocks—Customers' Liberty Bonds, 150.00

Real Estate (banking house), 2,000.00

Furniture and Fixtures, 2,000.00

Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand, 33,989.87

Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 687.58

Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 671.18

TOTAL, \$115,967.08

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock, paid in, \$ 10,000.00

Surplus Fund, 10,000.00

Individual Profits, net, 514.80

Individual Deposits, subject to check, 55,755.43

Time Certificates of Deposit, 2,695.80

Cashier's Checks, 1,321.63

Bills Payable and Redeemable, 5,000.00

Bonds Deposited—Customers' Liberty Bonds, 150.00

TOTAL, \$115,967.08

State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: We, C. A. Allingham, as president, and Roscoe Rainwater, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. A. ALLINGHAM, President.
ROScoe RAINWATER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, A. D. 1921.

J. T. GOSSETT,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
J. W. RAINWATER,
JULIUS RAINWATER,
OTTO STEHLIK, Directors.

No. 672
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FARMERS STATE BANK at Vernon, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1921, published in the Vernon Record, a newspaper printed and published at Vernon, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1921.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral, \$345,717.73

Loans, real estate, 28,742.88

Warrants (City), 2,000.00

Real Estate (banking house), 15,430.01

Furniture and Fixtures, 2,008.35

Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand, 115,067.20

Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 4,587.73

Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund, 4,981.94

Acceptances and Bills of Exchange, 3,025.22

Other resources, 10,971.60

TOTAL, \$534,292.26

LIABILITIES.
Capital Stock, paid in, \$100,000.00

Surplus Fund, 50,000.00

Individual Profits, net, 12,017.35

Individual Deposits, subject to check, 320,211.67

Time Certificates of Deposit, 41,528.79

Cashier's Checks, 1,614.65

TOTAL, \$534,292.26

State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: We, H. H. Rhoads, as president, and R. B. Gibson, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. H. RHODS, President.
R. B. GIBSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, A. D. 1921.

J. A. STOREY,
Notary Public, Wilbarger County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
EMORY RHODS,
F. L. MASSIE,
A. M. BOWLAND, Directors.

Wants Information About Vernon.

G. M. Thompson of Hubbard is interested in Vernon. Mayor Harry Mason is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Thompson, asking if Vernon has an automobile tourist camping ground in or near town; also for a list of the most important attractions in and near Vernon. Inquiry is made about fishing, and if a location can be secured here.

Wants Carload of Alfalfa.

J. W. Nelson of Lancaster, Texas, has written the local chamber of commerce, asking information about alfalfa hay. "Will you please hand this letter to some reliable farmer who can load me a car of choice alfalfa hay and have him quote me price f. o. b. Vernon?" is Mr. Nelson's request.

Miss Gladys Powers of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McCulloch and family and Mrs. William Denny.

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Stock Law Sale.

By virtue of an assessment and award of damages and fees, duly filed in the office of the Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. One of Wilbarger County, Texas, I will proceed and sell, as under execution, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the fourth Saturday in July, A. D. 1921, being the 23rd day of said month, at the Court House, at Vernon, Wilbarger County, Texas, in said county, the following described impounded stock, viz: One bay mare about 7 years old, about 15 hands high, had on a halter when impounded, no marks or brands; one dark brown horse mule about 4 years old, about 11 1/2 hands high, with white nose, no marks or brands; to be sold under the provisions of the stock law of the State of Texas, to satisfy such assessment and award, and the costs and expenses hereof. This 7th day of July, A. D. 1921.

H. C. JUSTIN,
Constable, Precinct No. One, Wilbarger County, Texas. 31-21 Fr.

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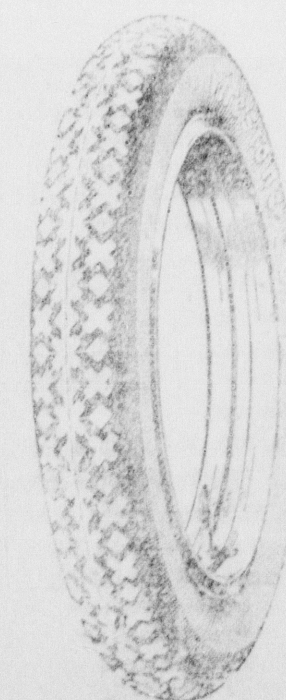
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ERRORS IN EIGHTH LOSES GAME FOR AMERICAN LEGION

Crowell Team Held Secretless For Six Innings While Vernon Counts Once Each in First Two Times at Bat—Contest Ends Four to Two in Favor of Visitors.

Vernon's American Legion baseball team showed a very generous disposition to their visitors from Crowell Wednesday afternoon and handed them the long end of a 4 to 2 ball game.

The donation came in the eighth at the Vernon had led from the first two innings. In Vernon's half of the first Ladd started the fireworks with a screaming two bagger to right field Sheppard followed with another 2 base hit to the same field, driving over the first run.

In the second inning Foster started the funing with a clean single, but was forced at second by Bridges. "Nappy" Baird came through with a hard line drive that easily scored Bridges. That was the end of Vernon's offensive work.

The score stayed 2 to 0 in Vernon's favor up to the first of the sixth when R. Boyd for the visitors singled, went to second on an error and scored on a single by McGhee. In the first of the eighth, two hits, two errors and three runs by Crowell tell a story of their own.

Baird for Vernon and J. Boyd for the visitors both pitched excellent ball, and while both were hit rather freely they kept the hits scattered and very little damage was done at any one time through hard hitting.

Yesterday's game was marked with clean sportsmanship throughout, and it is hoped by local fans that it is only the beginning of a number of such contests by the local aggregation through out the remainder of the season.

Crowell	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Boyd, C. e.	3 0 2 8 2 0
Hay, ss	5 0 0 5 0 0
Boyd, J. p.	5 0 1 0 0 0
Boyd, R. 2b	5 2 4 5 2 0
Prater, rf	5 1 1 2 1 1
Bell, lb	4 1 0 4 1 0
Magree, cf	4 0 1 0 0 0
Morgan, lf	4 0 0 1 0 0
Aubrey, 3b	4 0 0 2 2 0

Totals.....39 4 9 27 8 1

Vernon	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Speed, 3b	4 0 1 1 0 2
Ladd, lb	4 1 3 15 0 0
Sheppard, 2b	4 0 1 0 3 0
Teel, rf	4 0 1 2 0 0
Foster, cf	4 0 1 0 0 1
Bridges, lf	4 1 1 0 0 0
Carney, ss	4 0 0 3 4 0
Curtis, c	4 0 1 3 0 0
Baird, p	3 0 2 0 4 0
*Davis	1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals.....32 2 11 27 11 3

By Innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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Crowell.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0—4

Vernon.....1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

*Batted for Baird in 9th.

3 base hit, C. Boyd; 2 base hits

Ladd, Sheppard and R. Boyd; Struck

out by Baird 6, Boyd 5; Base on balls,

off Baird 1. Hit by pitcher C. Boyd.

Earned runs Vernon 2, Crowell 2.

Umpires—Lisman and Tenyson.

Miss Robbie and Donnalita Standifer and their house-guests, Miss Helen White and Louis Pender, went to Wichita Falls today to spend the weekend at the home of Miss Pender.

Is Rebuilding Home.

B. E. Keltz is rebuilding his home on Lexington street, just north of Maiden. The old house is being torn down as work progresses.

Miss Louise Baird left today for Ennis where she will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Muller, for several weeks. She will spend two days with friends in Fort Worth as she goes through.

RESTAURANT MAN COULDN'T EAT HIS OWN FOOD

"It's pretty tough for a restaurant man to have stomach trouble. My customers were always telling me I ought to eat in a good restaurant. The fact was I couldn't eat a thing that didn't bloat me up and no medicine or doctors helped me. I tried everything recommended and at last Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and I assure you I didn't have to look any further. Since taking it I have been a well man. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes, practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Sold in Vernon by Ferguson Drug Company and druggists everywhere. 1t Adv.

THINK OF IT! 302 BOTTLES AT 27 CENTS PER QUART



There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth in exclusive boot-legging circles when Uncle Sam, doughy arbitrator of destinies and distrust, unlocked the doors of his high class bar at Los Angeles and sold his stock of fine liquor at an average of twenty-seven and a fraction cents per quart. The stuff had been seized on ships and from other sources by the Customs House officials. There were 302 bottles of the finest imported stock and it sold for \$82. What a haul! It would have been for the bootlegger who could have sold it at 20 a quart. Ben Aaron, the auctioneer presided over the sale which went to the highest bidder of licensed dealers in liquor.

PEEPS INTO SHOP WINDOWS

Summer is vacation time and with it comes needs that we do not especially feel during the other months of the year. There is one's traveling luggage, for instance unthought of by most persons until they begin hunting in the attic or the basement or the trunk closet for a handbag, a small trunk or a suit case that will meet the requirements of his vacation trip. He may find one that he thinks will stand the jaunt into the mountains all right, or he may uncover one or more pieces that will carry enough for the family and not be disgraceful when the visit to grandparents, aunts or cousins is made in the city; but the chances are ten to one that after his mind has been made up to get along with the old luggage and he passes Dixon's show window he will want to reconsider and try to arrange to get at least one new and shiny hand-bag, suit-case or wardrobe trunk.

Are Marked Down.

There are a number of attractive pieces in this window, and the best part of it all is that at the present time, just when the majority of folks are wanting to use things of this sort they are marked down twenty-five per cent. One trunk is shown and it is marked a little less than \$40. It is small in size and suited to the needs of a gentleman. Its color is black and the linings are of the fancy flowered variety. Several tan leather hand-bags are on display, and one silk lined black suit-case is especially attractive.

Further up the street another vacation time need strikes one in the eye.

This particular thing, however, is at most an essential whether one takes a trip or not, because it is as useful at home as abroad. It is nothing more or less than a window full of swimming caps at Ferguson's Drug Store. They are in varied colors, some plain some with contrasting borders, some with cut-out flower trimming and some with fringe; all are of the tight fitting make. They may be bought for only thirty-five cents, we are told by a sign that hangs just above them.

Beauty Attracts.

Going down the street a little further, past the bathing cap window, we were attracted to another display, not because it contained anything that we especially felt the need of but because it was filled with things that one usually wants rather than needs. One feels impelled to look at them because of their beauty, their gentility and the suggestion of the daintily appointed table. The window is in Leutyler's Jewelry Store and the things on display are of silver, cut glass, nickel plate and brass.

There are nappies and baskets of cut glass, syrup pitchers, a large vase and a pair of bud vases in silver, three electric percolators and a large brass serving tray. These pieces are so varied in size and price that it seemed as we looked that most any one could be suited in window shopping for a gift at just this time; for these things are on the order of articles that one gives away and has given to her, rather than what one buys for her own use.

WICHITA LETS CONTRACT FOR SIX MILES OF PAVING

Contracts for six additional miles of concrete paving a part of the county highway system now under construction in Wichita County, were let this week by the County Commissioners, in tentative form, to be completed when minor details in connection with the awards are arranged. The contract price is \$216,316.

C. E. Zimmerman & Co. of Wichita Falls was awarded the contract for the construction of 2.84 miles leading out of Iowa Park, at a price of \$32,052 a mile, or a total of \$91,000.

The second contract was for 3.06 miles of paving, beginning at the Wilbarger County line and extending to Electra on the Electra-Vernon road. The contract as for \$125,295 or \$34,232 a mile.

Presbyterian Guild to Meet.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church will meet with Miss Janie Boyle at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, July 18. Miss Susie Scott will be leader. Members present will answer roll call with the number of visits made to new comers. All are requested to be present and to bring note books and pencils.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Small returned Wednesday to Fort Worth after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Small.

Misses Margaret and Mildred Hawley of Holiday are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. H. Huggins, in Vernon.

MANY ARE TOURING IN JULY.

Travelers Were Deterred During June By Floods In New Mexico And Colorado.

Reports to the headquarters of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway, according to the president, C. H. Walker, indicate that the tourist travel to the mountains through the last half of July and August will be heavier than usual. Floods in New Mexico and Colorado in June temporarily checked the travel over the highway, but official reports from those sections now indicate that the entire highway is in good travel condition.

The office of the highway gives out the information that Capt. B. Strange McMahon of California has been engaged as field man, and will give his entire time to the work of the Association. Capt. McMahon organized and commanded the first motor truck convoy across the United States in 1919 and was for some time connected with the Lincoln Highway.

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Tom Summerour and U. S. Davis returned yesterday from a trip to the Littlefield country in Lamb County.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy on the occasion of the sickness and death of our precious baby, who has gone out but is not forgotten.
MR. AND MRS. J. W. REED,
Ithard, Texas.

Scholarship for Miss Alice McLarty.
Miss Alice McLarty has received a scholarship in Searritt Bible and Training School, Kansas City, Mo. She will leave here in time to enter Searritt September 15. The scholarship was awarded sometime ago by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Northwest Texas Conference.

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W. M. McGough spent Sunday in Wichita Falls. Miss Adele Sumner returned last week-end from a trip in the East. Miss Louise Hamlin of Wichita Falls is visiting Miss Ruby Thomas.

"Young man, what do you mean to be?"

Take time—consider. You are the designer; you must select the pattern for your future. A hasty start will hasten success. Each time you change your mind and shift your occupation you must relearn and re-earn. Until you elect a definite course, you must accept guidance.

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Some Prices for Next Week

CANNED FRUITS	COFFEE
Del Monte Peaches (Large) \$.30	Golden Gate 2 1-2 Pounds \$1.25
Del Monte Peaches No. 2 \$.25	White Swan 3 Pounds \$1.50
Del Monte Apricots (Large) \$.25	Maxwell House 3 Pounds \$1.25
Del Monte Apricots No. 2 \$.20	Bulk Coffee similar quality to above \$.35
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.) \$.35	BUTTER (Creamery) \$.40
Sliced Pineapple (Extra Std.) \$.30	CHEESE (Full Cream) 1 Pound \$.35
Lard (Large) \$.35	COMB HONEY 10 Pounds \$2.25
SUGAR (Cane) 13 Pounds for \$1.00	Tomatoes No. 2 10c
SUGAR (100 Pounds) \$7.25	Corn No. 2 10c
LARGE OATS (Any brand) \$.30	

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